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Dear Armid,

by last letter to you received no reply, and so we lost truch. I don't lengt whether this letter will find you, but I'm writing in hopes that it will.

At any rule, I must write to congratulate you most warmly on the many of the Nehm award for Popularisation of Science. Most richly deserved, if I may say so. I have have ceased to admir your "educational tops" which yo have piecered in our Country, and wish all success to your phone efforts in this direction.

I have now become really "old", and cannot more around as I used to do. In spik of that, the high cost of living has forced me to accept a half-day job with Pratithe Advertising — in my 83 rd year!

How are In, and Simita, and little toulari who must how be hearly 4 pens old? I hope you are all Hurrishing, and would like to have news of you. Pluse contey my through to S of S.

written in lain!

Dada (T. Gay).

* which I read about in yesterday's "haharushta Hrall"

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हिन्दुस्तान टाइम्स हाउस, १८-२० कस्तुरवा गांधी मार्ग, नई दिल्ली-११०००१ तार : हिटाइम्स, फोन : ३३१९०६२. ३३१८२०१.

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प्यि भाई अरविनद जी,

आपको विज्ञान का लोकपुर्यता प्रस्कारिमला, हार्दिक बधाई। मंगलकामनाएं भी कि आप इस राह पर निरन्तर बद्दे जाएं!

अपना फोटो मेजिए और कृछ विवरण भी ताकि नंदन के पाठको तक यह खुशखाबरी पहुंच सके।

सानन्द होंगे.

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Replied 25/2/80

22 फरवरी, 88

प्रिय भाई,

श्री कृषण कुमार १ नयी दिल्ली १ के पत्र से आपकी जानकारी मिली और आपको पत्र लिख रहा हूं.

मालूम नहीं आप "धर्मयुग" देखते हैं या नहीं उतमें हम "तरूण मंच" नाम से एक स्तंभ चलाते हैं. क्या आप "धर्मयुग" के पिछले कुछ अंकों में उस स्तंभ को देखेंगे और फिर सोचेंगे कि उस स्तंभ में आपकी क्या-क्या मदद मिल सकती है ? आसपास की चीजों से खिलौने बनाने की विधि तिखायी जा सकती है ? आपकी किताब भी देखना चाहुंगा.

कृपया इस विषय में लिखें. आपका पत्र व आपकी सलाह पाकर खुशी होगी.

शुभकामनाओं तहित,

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ापका,

श्री अरविंद गुप्ता पूनाः

E- 184, NARAINA VIHAR NEW DELHI. 9-3-88.

Dear Arvind,

It was indeed a pleasure to watch you receiving the award on TV. Accept our congratulations. kshahnata & children enjoyed the fete.

I think this is after a spell of three years that we lost track and then I went lost Department of Science of Technology to locate you a they gave me your address.

I left Dellii in 1985 for Jamshedpun on one of the site postuigs, worked there for 2 years of returned back to Dellii in 87 July and am continuing here since then.

Lot of things have happened in between, I have I daughters now, the Younger one has completed her 3rd year on 24-2-88 Devir is growing fast 4 fine and goes to School. Kshawata Stays at home 4 news things as usual.

How come you are at Pune, what all branspired between Dalli Rajhara (That's where you wisited us last at Delhi) & Pune? How is your family? How are your folks at Barnelly? Apart from winning acclamations what are you doing? & lastly when are you next coming to Delhi!

निष्णु शिषाजवार ३१ संगद नगर नीत्यरमा, इन्दीर नाय १०९ २ मार्च १९८८

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कड लाम्ब रामय से- में मेरामता रहा कि अतपरे समकी राष्ट्र, पर इर वार वास रलती ही गईना मेरे लिखापढ़ी के मामले में वाफी-वमजार हु भै-। परंतु इस वार शहरानात वे लिए वड़-अग्या बहाल- मिलाश्या शिन्ही. पर न्यून सुनी-अगेर-पिर तो । पुरस्कार रामाराह आने देखा. वही रहे । दी साल पहले में पुणे आया था, जिन्न-जयू यहवर्धन से-प्रधाण की पर समय कम होनेस सम्बद्ध नहीं बनपायाः) किसी भीके की गल्माशमें ई कि पुण आने की मिले और फिर-बातजीत डिगेर नई गतिविधियों के बारेके जान का दीर जल-भेरे पास भी अब बाधी रामश्री इबहुर होगई ई । लगभग-दा स्मे-रंभीन स्लाइड्स- पाक्रितिक स्वामओं से बने पित्र.शिल्य-तथा देशारी दंश के खिल्लोंने और आत्यिक्षिकों के साथ बातभीतकी भाष्ट्राम रो 'बच्चों में स्त्रवात्मकता' खिकासित कर्नका मेरा मयास रहता है। 'गक्षमक' में अल्पेन देशवा ही हो गर। दिल्ली में बिटांटर के जीशशीकी के निमंत्रण पर 'दिवास्वय'





का बरित्रें मार्गा के लिए गया था । दूसरा दीर १४ से २० मार्ग ट्ट का रू.। क्या कामश्री पधार रहेरें? वंसे में कारी जी जा एक युक्तान यह भी है की कि में हिंपते भर के लिए वहां नियों का पत व्यत्ता रहे। शुक्राव वड़ा अध्या है। देखना है वन वाद्यानिनाहा र्वर- देरवी- इस- मई के आसमास पुण आनेकी यानना वना रहा वाकी सब बुध- बीक है-। पारिवारीक श्रीमिन्सनक साध

111:84:88. Dear Around: Its Woman's Day - the ferminoto must be vocal in global and local Circles! Then what! I want to Hoank you for a number of 5things. (1) for being so kind and phoning me is from the airport - it was so appropo - I was just I wandering what to do, when you Said you distint Jany money ... after written again to Winnin Pereira. Is and Siddantha in Bangalore who is doing the Asrian & drema - work for P. Freire. tryway (2) thanks also 28 for being a Stimulus; for In KK, boote at last. Estward-Connected, of Rs. 50,000/- Many hearty-Songratulations. You have done outstanding work! What you wrote about your fixt sevence teaching project in Hosangabad, Sounds wonderful! Beins on trees-in metal plates... you have some a long way since then! I still can't figure out what you are > being a man of many talents - parts, Wan engineer - or scientist or artist by Karning! The written and told lovenin, you don't ned 3 the money! Now with Resolverof-184 of greater You'll be able to fulfil many of your projects -! 3 Don't forget. I'll seel at least 15 bles here but or refrint is going to be needed for wood more! I knew Science Age was folding up I have from The for long years when he was in To I have

and I a teacher in that elitret "Cathedral School" The thornes one did never got heard off - but the 3 exhibition I held of the children's out - in the Infant School got very well reviewed. So the Privagant a Mrs B. hated me ever after. To you have my Suggestions, for putting together this art norksewage seepage-flood - destroys more striff here? I Also want to publish my Malto Syllabus for Jr. Schl. Ordent Longman's here - Seem so vagne! Panikkar Comes 9-12th _ 4 11th is or big thing at St. X's - you should have got an Multastron. I Then went to get boot for about 10 day- gust for a break - + thoen will face my soleake future! 0 0 Haven't seen Aruna Thakkait reading book

प्रिय विम्बेत,

आशा है आयको ने शतन बक दूरण, A-5 गांत पार्क, नई दिल्ली 110016 से 51. खावेता जाजोदिया का वन मिला होजा। उसकी एक प्राप्त उन्होंने मुक्ते भी भेजी है। में केहद प्रसन्त है। विदले लाभा 3 साल से प्रथास करने के बाद अब NBT ने दिवास्वयन का दिन्दी / क्षेत्रेजी पंस्करण कायता स्वीकार दिया है। इसके लिए मेंने बहुत भाग लेड की है। मेरा संयम है मि प्रगर एर दिन हस महान प्रसार का अंग्रेजी अनुबाद हरेगा में यह अवश्य क्रिंग, राशियन, अर्जन और दानेया में अन्य आधाओं ने अनुवाद होती, और भारी दानेया उस महाने जिल्लाबिद ती जुआई की मान वार्यों। NET भी अनमाने में एक साधी भा विश्रेष छथा है - श्री अतिन बारिया - वर्तमान शिक्षा साचन । वह 'दिनास्वटन' र्थ प्रत्य ने यबी मत है। उनमी मदद में अरोर यह सन्भव न होता। अब बादाजी और जितहेजन भाई भी खना कोती। थे अगय से विनती करा है पाप जल्द ही NBT भी STURISTANTA 3HE Terms & Conditions of UT PAZA' उनको यह भी लिखं है इस पुस्तर के अनुवाद / धापने की अन्मारी आपने अन्य रिसी प्रदाशक की गरी वी है। इस समय उद्य ऐसी वारास्थात है वि NBT जन्मी ही इसे ध्वायमा आहता है। जनमें में ही प्रदेश हैं, क्यों में सरकारी संस्थाओं का क्यां भरोता, माज जो हैं, मल उत्तरा नहीं तबादला हो जाये। इसामें याय इस शुमनाम में वित्रम्ब त मरे। मेरे लिये इस महात । शेशमा भी भाते भी जापते दश्वासियों तक पहेंगाने से आधाक रक्षी और दिसी यीज A' AET E / H- 1- 11 PLETE AT UNESCO/Bangkok WI रहा है। इस मूर्स वह प्रवश्य हिन्दें। हारिक युभकाम नाओं साहित ' परिवेद

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Dear Mr. Gapta

22/10/88

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You have already given your consent for the participation in inswing 22 nd Marathi Vidnyan Sammalana at chalisgam which is eto be hed on 25,26,727 December 1988. On 26th December 1988 be three hours morning session is devoted to " (43119 xirtion entired" Copinpmentrepolitances for scrence education) who where du clairmanship of Prof. v. a. the Kulkorni. You are requisted to participate in mal sension by giving a talk with demonstration on the topic "काआपेटी हो कागरी ऑडेक्स" (Match box to poper models). The time alluted for your presentation is half on hour we espect to some manner which you decled on topic at time of Haribhah Mute prize presentation at Bombay in February 1988. Your torelling expenses from Pronato (Latisgeon (by second class railway) and stay, lending / boarding will be taken comet by ou organising committee Please communicate your acceptance egain es earliest. The detail letter regarding . Vidnyon melaua" of stadents at chattageon from

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ARVIND KUMAR DIRECTOR

No.F.4-PA/Dir/Edit/88/ 2975

October 16, 1988

Dear Asuludi:

I am pleased to inform you that it has been decided that DIVASWAPNA by Gijubhai may be published by the NBT in English and Hindi. It is quite possible that the Trust may also undertake publication of this book in other Indian languages.

Normally a lumpsum amount @ Rs. 80/- per 1000 words is paid to the translator. However, before writing to Shri Chittaranjan Pathak and Shri Kashi Nath Trivedi, translators of DIVASWAPNA into English and Hindi respectively, I would like to be advised by you about the terms to be offered to them. Moreover, your advice is also needed to identify someone capable of writing an Introduction to the book which will provide biographical notes as well as an insight into Gijubhai's philosophy/pedagogy.

Kindly let me have your views as soon as possible.

With regards,

Yours sincerely.

(ARVIND KUMAR)

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> ARVIND KUMAR DIRECTOR

No.F.4-PA/Dir/Edit/88/ 2066

October 27, 1988

Dear Shri Arvind ji,

I received your card of October 24 today. Meanwhile, I hope, you must have received my letter of October 16 which was despatched on October 19, 1988.

Kindly let me have your suggestion regarding terms to be offered to the English and Hindi translators of DIVASWAPNA, because now we also very keen to publish the two editions as soon as possible.

Going through DANGER SCHOOL was fun. I have now given it to a friend to read.

With regards,

Yours sincerely,

(ARVIND KUMAR)

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MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION GOVERNMENT OF INDIA NEW DELHI

Dy.No.ES/88/R-3802

11 July 1988

Dear Arvind,

I have just received your letter dated 8.7.88. I attach herewith a copy of the letter I have sent to Director, NBT.

We would be very much interested in the book on low-cost Science experiments on which you are working. The book could be one of the inputs in the programme of improvement of Science teaching for which we have prepared a detailed scheme. Could you please let me know whom you propose to give your book for publication? It may be a good idea to ask Unicef to bring it out. If you so desire, I would be happy to write to them in the matter.

I have closed the P.O. Box. All correspondence may, therefore, please be addressed to my office address. I expect to be in Pune on 23rd and 24th of this month. I would be staying at the Indian Institute of Education, Kothrud. I will be taking your address and phone number with me. I would also be very happy if you could please contact me there.

With warm regards,

Yours sincerely,

(Anil Bordia)

Shri Arvind Gupta, 34/1/46, Vidyanagar, 509 Area, Air Force, Poona 411 032.

Encl: as above

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Sorry for the long delay in replying: Radhaknishuan had told me that you had met at Blubenesnar.

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OCT. 6, 1988

Dear Arvind,

reached back by now. I have the estimates for atoms to still (lovely title).

Yes, we could go ahead with 5,000 copies - so an with the printing. The price of h.5 could be printed at a suitable place.

I am sure you can take care of the title page, achrowledgements, credits etc. tistlent problems.

Regarding Danger School - could be wait for about a forthypht? We are planning 4 more publications this year (children's stories 4 poems) & after adding

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I am going to Delhi/chandiger tommon for a fortright. If there is any ungerry, you can reach me at E13/1, Vasant Vilar, New Delhi 110 057, ph: 674858.

Litt much love

Ahmedabad 23.2.88

Dear Arrival

9 Was very happy to hear news about your on T.V. National news. It was indeed expected. I think such award would make your tooks before smooth and the money in always recorded among people like w & The necogaminations & make things smoother so that one can carealizate on work. Sin bha was onuch more addignted. Transportations

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From:
Arvind Gupta
201/D6, Yogi Park
12-A, Koregaon Park
Poona 411 001, INDIA.

31.03.1988.

Dear Elisabeth & other friends in IDAC,

A few days back I'd posted you a copy of the Indian edition of Danger School. Please do let me know whether you received it. We are all also very anxious to know about your reactions to the Indian edition. As we did not have the original artwork, we had to make all the negatives and plates based on one copy of Danger School that you sent us. Wer all heartily thank you for the permission, which has been duly acknowledged in the Indian edition. The single copy of Danger School that you sent me has now multiplied into I,000 copies. We could only print a limited edition of one thousand copies, because of tremendous resource constraints.

You might be interested in how Danger School got printed. Once we obtained permission from IDAC to reprint the book, we wrote to several friends in our network. Earlier we had xeroxed copies of Danger School and circulated it in our network. We wrote to our friends to contribute the cost price for IOO copies each. The cost of printing one single copy came to Rs.I5/- (which is equivalent to one American dollar). The book has been priced at it a cost price. Within a month 4 individuals and 5 organisations in our network sent us money in advance for the cost price of IOO copies each. Within a month we were able to print it, and deliver it to these various individuals/organisations who are distributed in various parts of India. Among the organisation is also the Kerala Sastra Sahitya Parishad (KSSP) - a unique People's Science Group in Indian. The KSSP's mass organisation waged a prolonged struggle and saved the SILENT VALLEY.

The first limited edition of Danger School is almost over, considering the resounding response that it got. We invested about Rs. 5,000/- in the negatives, which we will not have to incur in our subsequent reprints, and so we will be able to price to even lower than one U.S dollar and reach it out to more of our people.

One newspaper editor liked Danger School so much that he has reprinted some subversive cartoons by Claudius and the article 'On mice and children' in the special issue on education and science.

We all thank you and hope that we'll have many more fruitful collaborations like this in the months and years to come.

A unique effort was made to network 26 different People's science Movements/Organisations working in different parts of India, in OCT-NOV' 87. I'm enclosing a report titled "Science for the People" written by me. On 28 Feb'88, I was awarded the inaugral Jawahar lal Nehru award for science popularisation amongst children. The award carried a prize of Rs.50,000/6.

We all do hope that you will continue to send us relevant material. So shall we. Let us all endeavour to make this world a better world for our children and future generations.

With lots of love, warmth and peace.

Arvin d Gupta.

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Arvind Gupta 20I/D6, Yegi Park 12-A, Koregaon Park POONA 411001 INDIA

Geneva, 25th of November 1987

Dear Arvind Gupta,

Thank you for your letter of 4th October.

We have pleasure in according autorization to publish a limited edition of IDAC document No 16/17 in english, on condition that "republished by permission of IDAC" is clearly marked. We hope you to agree with the above conditions.

We wish you a great success.

Kind regards,

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Elisabeth Hallauer



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Mr. Arvind Gupta 201-D/6 Yogi Park 12-A Koregaon Park PUNE - 411 DOL

Dear Mr. Gupta,

If you recall, you had offered us a publication proposal of the English translation of your Hindi book रेक्स रकेंद्रों in March '87.

We had subsequently written to you solicity this translation, but have to date not heard from you.

Will you kindly let us know when we may expect to receive this translation.

Hoping to hear from you soon,

With best wishes,

Yours sincerely,

Meena Pai

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The proposed TV programme should be able to bring out the child centred, activity based approach to science teaching. It should also be able to give a glimpse of the materials - ordinary daily life objects, which if viewed critically could be used to great advantage in science learning. Such an approach will rescue science from the confines of specialised laboratories and enable children to do experiments with anything and everything that they find in their immediate environment.

The only licenced manufacturer of Montessori educational equipment in India (M/S KayBee School Equipment, Hyderabad) sell the Montessori kit, adequate for 30 children for a whopping Rs.50,000/- . Which Indian school can afford it ? Because, most Indian schools cannot afford such astronomical sums for children's play, so, Kaybee School Equipment exports almost all its output. In the process, it is the Indian child who gets negated.

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Need: Today there are a number of voluntary agencies, Popular People's Science Organisations/Movements who are engaged in education. - From running balwadis, to formal or informal learning structures, to consciousness raising. These structures run by self-motivated, dedicated individuals and groups are more receptive to innovations and experimentation. If the germ of an idea takes roots, these agencies are the best means of taking it to the people. The need is to take ideas/innovations/science teaching aids/learning equipments/experiences in education to these agencies, so that one can start from the vast pool of experience that already exists, and does not start from scratch. These ideas/aids will have to be suitably adapted and modified in accordance with the local specifities. The local organisations will further refine and hone these teaching aids in close collaboration with the local teachers and children. Once these aids have been creatively adapted and tested, then the next step of making them at the local level by the voluntary organisations can be taken up.

There are, thus, three distinct phases in this exercise

I. Designing of teaching aids, and making a few prototypes, based on local material and involving local skills.

2. Practical demonstrations and dailogues with educators/children in

voluntary agencies.

3. Helping voluntary agencies in setting up small cottage units, for making teaching aids.

Project: The proposal is to set up a small experimental workshop (SEW) where science teaching and other low cost educational aids can be designed out of locally available, readily accessible material. The workshop will have some rudimentary facilities like a wooden lathe, Fret saw, a small press, shear, and other handtools to work on wood, rubber and soft metals.

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23rd February 1988.

Dear Arvind,

I wish to congratulate you for getting the First Jawaharlal Nehru Award instituted by the National Council for Science and Technology Communication.

I am happy that atlast your hard work in the field of popularising science and technolgy particularly amongst the young Indians, has been rewarded by conferring on you this honour.

We are all very glad and wish that you continue the good work you are doing with more and more such honours.

But, you will pardon me, if I were to raise my doubts and express my cynisism about how long it would take to reach our ultimate goal of creating a New Society or achieve real Social Change, through such methods. I think you are very well aware of my differences of views, even with Kishore Bharati Group or Anil, when we were involved in the Science Teaching Programme. Some how I am not convinced and I do not know Anil's views clearly after his Bhopal experience. At the same time, if you were to ask me, I must frankly admit that I do not have any other alternative to offer. I think the real crux of the matter is how to connect Science Education with Political Education. Please do write back, if you have any thoughts on this problem. Do you really think that we have moved in the right direction, after so many efforts in popularising schence through several People's Science Movements in our country? Have our people really got any scientific temper? I feel, on the contrary fundamentalism has proliferated in all sphere Please do educate me, if I am wrong. With best wishes,

> Yours sincerely, (Suresh Suratwala.)

Shri Arvind Gupta. 201/D6, Yogi Park, 12 A Koregaon Park, Krishna Knmar, KssP, Parishad Bhavan, TRIVANDRUM-695037
My dear Arvind,
Thank you very much for your fellers. Received Copy of Teacher to and Mahavao him Science Revald. Teacher will be translated into Matayalam soon. The idea is to publish a series of books on education in Connection with This years Balotsav Jatha.

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Prof D BALASUBRAMANIAN
Deputy Director

Ref: DB/Gen/88
March 11, 1988

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Mr Arvind Gupta 201/D6, Yogi Park 12A, Koregaon Park POONA 411 001

My dear Arvind,

Thank you for your post card which makes me sound bigger than I am. I hope you also got our telegram. We are so happy that you have got the Nehru Award this year.

Arvind, incidentally, Mr Vikram Rao has just initiated a small science centre, somewhat along the lines of the Vikram Sarbahi Science Centre in Ahmedabad. It just got started last week and he is quite receptive to a variety of ideas. We are at the moment trying to see if we cannot have a full-time person to run it. You know how difficult it is to get such a person who is committed to science, who is very good with children and who is innovative the ideas and looks the future. Should you have anyone, please let me know. In the meanwhile, may I, on behalf of our Institute, invite you to come over to Hyderabad sometime in early April'88. While you are here, we would have a show by you on your toy kits, match sticks and alike. We could have it for a day or two when you will be with us sitting in the Centre and children will come to you just like we had last time. Do let me know if this is possible. Of course we will take care of your travel and other expenses.

With best regards,

Yours sincerely,

(D. BALASUBRAMANIAN)

This is on behalf of the Science centre, not cans!

It is a delightful book. I'm sure it will catch on. It would be nore interesting if the figures could be done in colour. Then it would attract nore children. It was a pleasure and profit to meet you while you were at Dharwad.

Prof. M.I. Savadatti, Vice president Karnataka Rajya Vigyan Parishad Department of Physics, Karnatak University Dharwar 580 003.

Great to see your book in print. Hope it gets wide dissemination in the country. Dr. Anwer Jafri. Klavya, Nehru Colony, Harda, Dist. Hosh-

Ingabad, (M.P.)

the diagrams are excellent. I note that sometimes the figure captions and labelling are in English alone, this suits me, but will it be OK for Hindi readers?

I do hone that the book gets the wide reacership that it deserves.

Dr. P.W.Shankar, Asstt. Director National Aeronautics Lab., Bangalore.

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I also liked the quotations and the introduction. It tells much about your line of thinking and goes very well with the content of the book.

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I thinkthe publication of this book will be greatly received by the schools. There is no parallel work to my mind done by either an Indian or by someone from outside.

I'm really harry to see this important work finally but together and circulated in a wait should have been years ago.

Sudershan Khanna (author of Dynamic Folk Toys)
Faculty of Industrial Design
National Institute of Design
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Hyderabad Book Trust and was simply delighted. Congretulations on a fantastic piece of work. Gita Remaswamy of the HBT is quite keen on publishing a Telegu translation.
Ravi Chopra, editor State of India's nvironment, published by the Centre for Science & Environment, Home address 184 SFS DDA. \$1 \$4 \$4. \$2 \$4

It looks very neat, a good job really. Some responses have come here too, all favourable Dr. Vinod Raina, Eklavya, El/20s, Arera Colony, Bhopal 462 OI6 (M.P.).

Many tnanks indeed for the 3 copies of your lovely little toy book. Aruna has seized one copy for herself, and I shall show one copy to the right kind of people. My hearty congretulations on this effort.

Thomas Gay. Retired ICS, wes the Revenue Officer of Poons 50 years back, I22/4-A Erandvane, Poons 411 004.

.. the books will be very useful to the members of the library, in particular the

teachers.
The various different concepts have been clearly brought out in the book. The illustrations and the easy explanations are excellent. The idea of using simple inexpensive materials which are easily available locally is commendable. I hope it will reach many teachers in this country and they will benefit by it.

Mrs. Visha Gangadheren, Peorle's Science Movement activist, and Prog. Co-ordinator Hown Shanka Science Leaders Character

Rejectived your booklet through Shri S. Rajegopalan. As you know some of these items have been converted into Science Kits by Shri D.R.Beluregi at Belgaum. Ishall be discussing with him about the utility of trenslating this booklet.

M.A.Sethu Rao , Hon. Sec. Karnataka Rejya Vigyan Perishad, I.I.So. Campus, Bangalore

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I have gone through your booklet Khel Khel Wein, and am very highly impressed by the beautiful simplicity with which, you have compiled the work. I shall try to approach the State DST for getting funds to be able to translate it into Gujrati.

Dr. Mala R. Chinoy, Scientist, Vikrem A. Sarabhai Community Science Centre, Navrang-

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been more impressive.

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moment.

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something.

It was good to hear from you. If we, or I can be supportive in any way of your work,

just let me know.

All good wishes to you, and congratulations on bringing out such a clear and attractive

ook.

Rosalind M. Wilson, Magazine Editor, TARGET, 316, Competent House, Middle Circle, F-14

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| Sami Nurty, Women's Centre, Bombay 400055.

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K. Banarji, Adviser to the Administrator, Union Territory, Chandigarh.

I am delighted to receive two copies of your latest book which has come out very well. Congratulations.

Dr. M.N. Chaudhri, Joint Director, Central

I was very thrilled with khel khel mein. Gowri (my wife) and I poured over it till late last night. I'll write to you seperately about some people who should meet you. Please keep up the beautiful WOrk.

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He now works at Vigyan Ashram, Centre for Science Education & Research, Pabal, Dist Dr. S.S.Kalbag, headed the engineering division of sindustan Lever for 20 years. Poona 412 405.

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I find this publication extremely interesting and useful forthe children. I intend to publish a News Report on this publication in Invention Intelligence and if possible in our Hindi magazines Avishkar and Gram Shilp.

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Wany thanks for the book Khel Khel Mein which you sent me recently. I enjoyed going through it, and we are trying to see if the Marathi Vidnyan Parishad could undertake the Marathi translation and printing of the book. I will get in touch with you again very soon.

Prof. B.M. Udgaonkar, President, Marathi Vigyam Parished, DIPR, Homi Modi Street,

Coleba, Bobbay 400 005.

I am forwarding two copies to DST, Gujarat State, and State Government Education Department for getting their help in producing funds for trenslating/printing has been given to Lok Bharti's Mr. Arun Dave, who has expressed his villingness to translate this book into Gujarati. Dr. Mala Chinoy, Scientist, Vikram Sarabhar Community Science Centre, Navrangpura, Ahmedabad 380009.

Your book vill be of immense use in our 30 night schools. We are impatiently wait-ing for you to come to Tilonia.

Neelesh Desai, Education Co-ordinator, Social Work Research Centre, Tilonia.

Nausnguni, Dist Almer (Raj) 30,816.

I received the books you sent and am quite excited about it. We have already begun work on translation (into Tamil) and it will be ready by a week or two.
Will the DST finance a Tamil version? If the Department of Education here takes it up will there be any conyright provisions?
Please do let me know so that I can organise publication and sales of this book as soon.

as possible.

Dr. T.Sundaraman, Sec, Pondicherry People's Science Association, IIS - A, 3rd Cross Street, VenkataNagar, Pondicherry 605 OII.

C.D. Deshaukh, Lecturer in Physics, VJII,

Relves. I read the introduction 'Bachhon ki Duniya'. Its a gem - it is very very appealing and nowerful in its simplicity. Some critical comments:

I) The first photograph of kids with ties on - coming from the upper middle class seems to appear odd for this kind of a

2) Sri Aurobindo's quotation, was it really necessary? After all his philosophy is so bloody nebulous. You should have quoted from some other libertarian thinker.

3) The backpage quotation and photo raph is also ambiguous. Dilip Hote/Singhbhum.

project.

ing each ting for children, at the name time it will help them gain confidence by doing things with their own hands. Togay we only dazzle children but seldom nelp them gain self confidence. This book has raised hopes. If the type size of the book was the same size as that in the introduction then it would have been much easier for children. Another thing which is bad in the use of english subtitles with the pictures. If hindi subtitles had also been used it would have been much better.

One more small comment. The introduction 'Bacchhon ki Duniya', nas more of bal manovigyan (psychology) in it than vigyan (science).

Heartlest congratulations over the publication of Khel Khel Mein. The love and care with which the book has been printed is obvious on every page. Raising the issue of games and toys, and the context of this book I'll &con write an article for 'Navbharat Times'.

Dr. Krishna Kumar (Nehru Library & Museum Fellow), B4/226, Safderjung Enclave, New Delhi IIO 029.

magazine 'Palash', so that some other readers two conies of Khel Khel Wein. I was Ramesh Dave, Palash, State Council of Educa-happy to see them. If you allow us like to serialise it in our Research & Training, Jehangirabad, cen gain inspiration. heartily we would tional Bhonal

I felt a bit sad on seeing the book. Here are some critical comments.

I) The type size is very small - not only &m 2) The printing on one side is visible from for children, but also for adults.

the other side of the page.

feel that the illustrations instead of being made specially for this book have been copied 3) The use of english alone in the illustrations is very disturbing. The readers will from some english book.

Tr. Marendra K. Sehral, Head, Mational Council 4) At a few places the sentences appear as if they have not been written originally in hindi but have been translated from english. I shall await the other reactions to this book which you have been receiving.

Or Science & Technology Communication, Department of Science & Technology, New Mehrauli Road, New Delhi IIO 016. Department of

presented, and I hope that our teachers will use them. I wish they were in English. Kumkum Somani, Trustee, G.D. Someni Memorial School, Cuffe Parade, Bombay 400 005. Many thanks for your three books - and congratulations. They seem to be very well

Thank you very much for your book, It is

very interesting.

南京省城南北京東京東京南京南京北京北京北京南京京京南南 Sumati Sampemane, Associate Editor, Science Age, Wehru Centre, Dr. Annie Besant Road, Worli, Bombay 400 018.

I like the layout- the illustrations are xir clear - should be easy for teachers to follthe text one pages could have one column in consistent manner. Of course, you have your personal and subjective) opinion is that hindi - one in english - that way it would Hindi syntax . What do you feel about this good and sound reasons for doing the book khel khel mein in hindi - but my personal enable more sales, usefuliness plus, the hindi readers improve their english, and the Angrey zivallas - could polish their ow. All I wondered about is why did you then out some english ceptions here and there - then why not all the way in a suggestion ?

Dina Guha, E/4, Ben Nevis, B. Dessi Roed, Bomosy 400 036

also be translated into marathi and gujrati? It was really a very happy surprise to get khel khel mein. I was wondering whether you have gone underground. But now I could imagine the amount of labour you have put in during the past few months to bring out would appreciate it more if the books are I think people in Maharashtra and Gujrat such a useful and innovative literature. I think it will give a new direction to Don't you think that these books should our people who are in power. in their mother language. I went through your book with great joy and pleasure. I've already presented the third copy to a friend of mine who works with a norganisation named 'Ankur' - they have undertaken several educational activities in the slums around Delhi. I've also shown the book to a lot of people who now want to how from where they can order copies.. Aanks a lot for giving me a copy. I'll always treasure it.

It is a beautifully produced little bookcrisply written and easy to read. Avinash Desireande's graphics add considerably to the charm. Sujit's printing, of course, is

impeccable.

Just one or two minor critical comments: the essence of your method is to give notional approximations of measurement units. It would therefore have been more appropriatex to stick to one system (ogs) rather than using both cgs and fps. It could bring in erroneous ideas of equivalence which might be difficult to wipe out later. The other point is regarding the model of the methane molecule. I feel it risky to convey what is essentially an abstraction in such concrete terms. It is always a better idea, I think, to let children work out their own abstractions of reality than to ask them to arrive at reality from a ready - made abstraction. This is a very debatable point, of course.

Vivek Khadrekar, Centre for Environment salucation, mear Foundation, Thaltej Tekra, Ahmedabad 780 054.

Suresh Suratwala, Fost Devapur, larusa man Dist. Satara (18h).

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I'm delighted to receive two conjes of your book - it is beautiful and congratulations to you and all those who contributed to make it. I'll like to have more copies and shall like to distribute them to about 50 action groups in Bihar and East U.P. A number of them are doing work on non-formal education with children. and some will get some new ideas from this book.

I think you snould follow this up and deve-

I think you snould follow this up and deve lop a series - Soing from the first stage to the next.

Vikas Bhei, Post Box IOO3, Varenasi 22I 00I

You must have certainly seen a stone dropping in water and causing ripples. But it might surprise you to know that disturbing water in this way is closely related to sound, light, radio and even earthquakes.

Lets drop a stone in a placid pool and see what happens. The weight of the stone pushes down on the water immediately below it causing a decression. As water is virtually imcompressible, so room must be made for the water that is pushed downward. This can only be done by raising the water in the immediated vicinity of the fallen stone. So the centre is now surrounded by a rim of raised water. This ring of raised water falls back under the pull of gravity and its weight acts like the original stone. It pushes the water underneath downward and throws up a wider ring of water a bit further from the original centre of disturbance. This process continues and the ring of upraised water moves farther and farther out from the centre. As it moves outwards, the total mass of upraised water must be spread out in larger and larger circumferences, and the height of the upraised ring is therefore lower and lower. Ultimately, this disturbance will be evened out by friction. The initial potential energy of the stone would be lost as heat - the pool would be a trifle warmer than it earlier was.

To produce a wave, then, we need an initial disturbance. If the initial disturbance, in correcting itself, disturbs a neighbouring region in a fashion similar to the original disturbance, a wave is propagated.

In the case of the water waves, it is important to realise that the water is only moving up and down. It is only the disturbance that moves out while the water remains at its original place. A cork, floating on water that has not been disturbed into ripples will rise and fall with the rise and fall of water it rests on, see (Fig. I). But the moving ripples will not carry the cork outwards with it.

The cross section of the ripples would be a 'wavy line' akin to the familiar sinusoidal curve - having a high point, called the 'crest', and a low point called 'trough'.

A wawe like the water wave, in which the motion of each part is in one direction (up and down in this case) and the direction of propagation of the disturbance is at right angles to that direction (outwards acress the water surface in this case) is called a Transverse wave (Transverse is from the Latin words meaning 'lying across', the motion of the water itself 'lies across' the line of propagation.).

A different kind of wave

Long metal springs called slinkies, have been very popular as toys in the west for several years. However, they are being manufactured in India now and cost about Rs.30/-. The metallic slinky, see (Fig.2) can provide you many-many hours of fun and joy. The metal slinky can climb down a staircase. It pours out from one hand to the other as if it were a metallic 'siphon'. Its motions are truly intriguing and fascinating. No wonder that thousands of scientists and teachers throughout the world have used the slinky to learn more about waves.

Fasten one end of the slinky to the leg of a desk or a chair and stretch the spring along the floor. With your other hand, gather 5-IO coils until they are tightly compressed. Release the coils and notice the disturbance. Do the slinky coils move at right angles to the disturbance that travels down the length of the spring? How would you describe this motion?

When the direction of motion of the disturbance is parallel to the back and forth motion that causes it, the wave is called minimize a Longitudual wave.

Hang the slinky from the wall by a nail. Allow the slinky to hang freely. If it is necessary place a small weight on the free end.

Squeeze 3-4 coils together near the bottom of the spring and then quickly release them. What do you observe happening? The movement that you see is caused by the 'bunching up' and 'thinning thank out' of the coils. How does this coming together and thinning thank out spreading out of the coils explain the movement of a wave through the spring?

Although the air molecules are not like tiny slinkies, the particles do seem to behave as if they were perfectly elastic. The disturbance that travelled through the slinky after you released the squeezed coils helps you to picture what happens in the air which is disturbed by a vibrating object. The regions of 'compression' and 'rarefaction' can be easily visualised.

Bangle Slinky

Many a veteran slinky players would have noticed that if by mistake the metal coils at any point are stretched beyond the elastic limit, then the slinky dosent return to its original shape. While the rest of the slinky neatly coils up, the stretched part stands out like a sore thumb.

Metallic slinkies apart from being expensive are also difficult to procure. A low-cost slinky can however, be made by joining together three plastic spring bangles, see (Fig.). Each spring bangle costs around one rupee and has 24 coils. They come in bright colours and are can be bought in any village fair. The bangles can be coupled together using bits of cycle valve tube. The diametrically opposite end of the joint is tied with a bit of thread.

If you kniskens vertically hold one end of this bangle slinky and give it a jerk, you can see some very beautiful oscillations which gradually dampen and die out.

If one end of this slinky is held stationary and the other end is stretched and jerked, then an incident wave will proceed towards the stationary end, strike it and return back as a reflected wave.

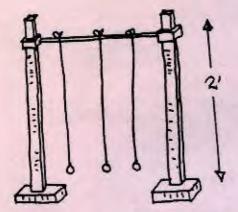
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If both ends of the stretched slinky are held and jerked - in together, then two incident waves will move in opposite directions and collide in destructive interference in the middle.

The colourful plastic bangle slinky will slither like a live caterpillar at the slightest jerk and provide you with hours of entertainment.

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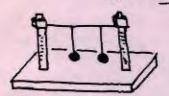
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Sa-1. COUPLED PENDULUMS

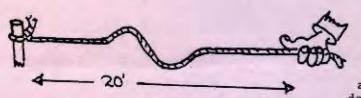
A slightly flexible support is made for three identical simple pendulums. When one is put into motion with the others initially at rest, the motion is slowly passed from one pendulum to the other in a cyclic manner.

PROJECTION COUPLED PENDULA Sa-2.



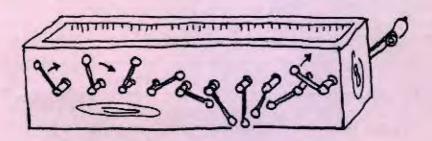
This is the same as Sa-1, except the apparatus is small so it may be placed on an overhead projector. The base is made of clear plastic.

Sa-3. WAVE PULSE ON A ROPE



A piece of heavy clothesline is attached to a support and stretched slightly. The other end is given a quick transverse motion, and a pulse is observed traveling down the rope. The speed of

the pulse increases if the rope is pulled more tightly.



WATER WAVE MODEL-PHASE VELOCITY 6a-4.

Several horizontal shafts are coupled together by a crankshaft arrangement so they can all be rotated at the same rate. Rods are connected to each shaft, and can rotate in circles. Each rod is offset from its neighbor by a fixed phase angle. As the rods are rotated in one direction, a wave is observed to travel in a particular direction. If the direction of rotation is reversed, the wave travels in the opposite direction depending on whether the phase angles are leading or lagging. One can observe the motion of a fixed phase angle.

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Vinay and Sonal Deshpande
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KOLHAPUR - 416 003
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My clear Arvind,

The best of health & cheer. Thank you for giving us

Mr Sudharshan Khanna's name at NID. He was very helful
in finding some contacts for Somal's coramic studio forget.

Please thank him too when you write to him next.

The other day while I was lathing to Soual she wentioned that you have not sent Shiradi to Dulasi to school as yet. I would very much whe to share your views on the reason cus to why you haven't sent her to school.

Here are a few front which I strongly feel about at hope to fact forth to you. Since both both of us have seen

what the best schools in the north can offer (and I doubt if there will be much change in in their pallors of education in the next decade).

I feel that the schools around here have a very narrow view of the word education. 99.9% of those we schools, where there is a classroom concept of education (The leacher teaches & the student takes it down as the gosfiel truth). Which not only , ristricts the mental development of a child but creates unwanted reservations in their minds. Instead a child should be left on his own with minimum help from us, the child should enjoy & learn (teach) himself. There is not froint in spoon beding him. For example suppose a child is doing a down down test or a animal puzzle & instead of calling the colour red he serys, thats green, or instead of putting the parts of the cut right he facts the horses head to the cats body & so forth. What in the usual practise is to correct him, which I feel is not wight since a child neight have a much more vivid imagination & concept of whom a matching that should be allowed to det develope on its own even though it night look wrong to us.

India Today featured a report on integrate I schools in India. I wonder if you have read about them or visited such schools in the south.

They are mainly (enforment & learn) schools, where the backboard & clussion is nuissing. The student is free to go in any workshop a foraclice his &kill with a number of mediums. In this frocess of experimental development, he learns what other schools teach through a tout book. There is group discussions & the teacher eacts only as a guide. What are your views about such schools?

I would be most grateful if you can drop on a line to My respects to Mannes Manni & Tai here to Dulari from both of us.

To Dulari from both of us.

Your apply Junes. Destpunde

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RISHI VALLEY - 817 352 CHITTOOR DISTRICT ANDHRA PRADESH INDIA

14th February, 1989

To: Mr. Arvind Gupta 34/1/46, Vidyanagar 509 Area, Air Force POONA-411 032 (Maharashtra)

Dear Mr. Arvind Gupta,

Thank you for your letter dated 7-2-1989.

Mr. Vohra and his son can, on their way back to Bangalore, get down at Neelbagh and spend some time there and perhaps at Sumavana also. Since our vehicles are constantly in demand because of the admission tests and interviews which start to-morrow, I am not very sure that we will be able to spare a vehicle for them.

I shall speak to Mumtaz about their proposes visit.

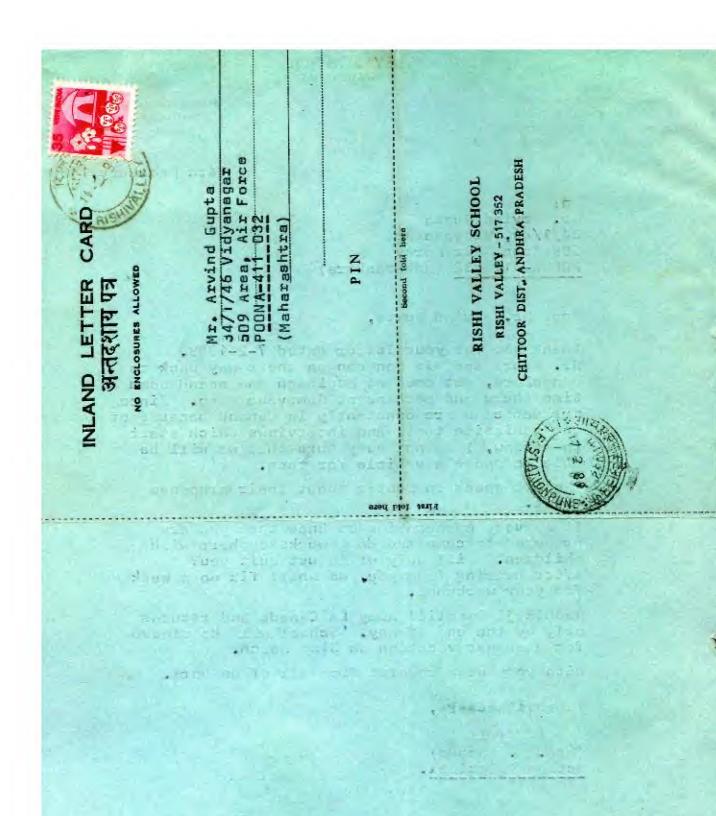
It is very encouraging to know that you are prepared to come and do a workshop here with children. Will July or August suit you? After hearing from you, we shall fix up a week for your workshop.

Radhikaji is still away in Canada and returns only by the end of May. School will be closed for a summer vacation on 31st March.

With very warm regards from all of us here.

Yours, sincerely,

(Mrs. R. Thomas) Acting Principal.





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14th Feb. 1989.

Dear Arvind,

I am very happy to receive your letter dated 6th Feb. 1989.

Enclosed is a copy of my letter to Tara Jauhar who is the person over all incharge of Mirambika. I think it will be good if you can meet her. You should, Iffeel, first plan to stay for a year so that you and the institution can both judge for yourselves. Then you could take a final decision for a long period. I do hope something gets worked out. In fact I believe that Mirambika should be happy to have your work with them.

I hope my letter reaches you in time.

Wishing you and Dulari and the family all the best and a bright future.

Yours,

(Vijey)

Shri Arvind Gupta, 34/1/46, Vidyanagar, 509, Area, Air Force, Poona - 411 032.

Encl: Copy of letter to Tara Jauhar.



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14th Feb.1989.

My der Tare,

I am writing to you today to introduce to you a friend of mine from Pune. Shri Arvind Gupta. He is a very fine, sincere and gifted person, looking for something new in education. I have worked with him in a workshop with great pleasure and have been in regular touch with him for several years. The NCERT has made films about his work. He is also the author of several books which I have found very us eful.

Arvind would like to shift to Delhi and partici-pate in the teaching experience at Mirambika. He has a little daughter, Dulari, whom he would like to get admitted in Mirambika.

I feel that he would be able to contribute in a very positive way to the beautiful work you are already doing. I have asked him to meet you. He will be coming to Delhi soon from Pune.

With affectionate regards, Shri Tara Jauhar, Sri Auropindo Ashram, Delhi Branch, Sri Aurobindo Marg, New Delhi - 110 016.

Cppy to Shri Arvind Gupta.



कैम्पस स्कल

भारतीय प्रौद्योगिकी संस्थान कानपुर

No: 3660 Dt: 14.03.88

Sh. Arvind Gupta 46 Vidyanagar 509 Area, Air For e Pune - 411 032

My dear Gupta Ji

Ever since I heard about the thrilling and announcement of the Science and Technology Prize in your name. I was so delighted that one of our devoted social workers involvement has been so recognised and at the highest level.

Congratulations once again. I had ultimately to contact Dr.A.P. Shukla who was unaware about it. He gave me the present address of which he was not sure.

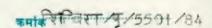
I would feel grateful having details of your actual idea which must certainly have taken some printed format. I remember some such which you presented during the NCERT Audio-Visual Conference held some years back.

With best wishes and once again CONGRATULATIONS.

Yours sincerely,

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निक्षा विभाग, राजस्थान का मासिक मुखपत्र इन्द्रना रायण मथा, वरिष्ठ समीदक

बोकानेर

दिनांक: 12/4/84

षुय गुप्ता जी,

नया शिक्षक का वाष्टित अंक अब तक आपको प्राप्त हो नुका होगा । यह कर पूरी बात कहेंगे ही । यह जानकर प्रमन्तता हुई कि एक लम्बे अर्ने तक आपने मजदूरों के बच्चों का शिक्षण किया है । निश्वप ही इसने हुए ऐसे अनुभव आप पाठकों में प्रमारित करना पसंद करेंगे । लिखें, हमें उनमें हमारी स्वि रहेगी । दरअसन हम आपके शैक्षिक लेखन का स्पर्श बाहते हैं, पोवें, आप लेखन स्तर पर हमारी क्या मदद कर सकते हैं । आपों है आपका स्नेह सहयोग हमें मिलेगा ।

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Arvind Gupta, 46 Vidyanagar, 509 Area, Air Force, PUNE - 411 032

Dear Arvind,

Thank you for sending me the photocopy of Kosambi's review of Dange's book. It is very exciting to read, isn't it?

Here I have got off-prints of a few papers of Kosambi, copies of which I am enclosing. The copies are themselves made from copies, so they are not very clear; nevertheless, I hope they will be of use.

Thank you also for sending me details of your documentation service. I am circulating it among other colleagues here and I am sure we will all find it very useful.

With best wishes,

Yours sincerely,

Arvind N Das

Encl: - As above.

P.S. I was in Pune for several days last month but could not get in bouch with you. May be well mech soon.



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6 September 1989

My dear Arvind,

Subject: APEID Newsletter - Science and Technology Education

We are now collecting articles for the next Newsletter in Science Education. Would you please find time to send me, by 30 October 1989, an article on Popularization of Science for the general public (about 10 pages).

Being a Newsletter, we are unable to pay for the article, but will publish it under your name.

You may wish to consider, under the topic a wide range of science related inputs (printed as well as electronic media) by various agencies and not necessarily the Education Ministry. Generally they could be of the following types:

- informational, to get things done, such as agriculture extension services; or informational, regarding scientific events, such as space travel;
- explanatory, which provide scientific principles that explain phenomena such as earthquakes; pollution; industrial production of plastic; as well as phenomena of every day occurrence in life situations;
- critical thinking/problem solving, which assist in developing science process skills in the general public.

Specific examples would be helpful in illustrating the above.

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Mr. Arvind Gupta 341/46 Vidyanagar 509 Area, Air Force Poone 411032 India Mr. Arvind Gupta, Poone 411032 Ref: 133.39.3/AC/1645/89

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Any black and white photographs or line drawings illustrating points in the article would be most useful.

Thanking you and with best wishes.

Yours sincerely,

Ratnaike, J.
Specialist in Science and
Technology Education

प्रिय अरविन्द , राष्ट्रेभ नभरवार.

अहिं हिंदित में बात हुई थी उसकी याद आपके। होगी ही. ता. ६-१० दिसम्बर के गरबेर बालमवनमें मेरे जिमोंकी प्रदर्शनी तथा क्योंका क्किशांप होने जा रहा हैं. में ता. कि दिसम्बर को पुणे पहुंच रहा हूँ. पहुंचने पर आपको फानपर सूचित कर्कगहीं- में आशा बरता हूं यदि आप समारिवार दिल्ली न गए हों ते आपकी मेर तथा क्किशांप में सहयोग मिलेगा ही.

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Pear Arvind,

23 November 1989

Thank you for your letter. I am looking prward to metting you. It will be useful for you to know that Christmas Holidays are from 22 December till 9th January 1990. Wany of us, me too, will be out of station till Sunday, 7th of January 1990.

I do hope it is possible for you to find some accommodation near by. Incase you wont eucceed before the 7th of January and it would be possible to be sure of accommodation from the first of February onwards, I think I would be able to request Tara to let you stay for three weeks only. So please try to come with not too much uncertainity about the place where you could stay in the vicinity of the Ashram.

Regarding the admission form for your daughter: It can be filled up in January 1990 only.

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13/8/

My dear Ararind, Thank you very much for the book. I was running here and there and didn't get anytime to reply. Please bean with me. The book is really good. I showed it to many friends and they are all interested. Please send me \$0 copies of the book as a first lot. I hope to ask for more Copies soon. The amout will be send in a day or two. we would like to take up Malayalam Iromslation of The book. Hope the publishers willnot have any objection Please discuss and inform me. Lot of work is going on here. Recently we organised something like a children's version of sastrakala jatha we call it "Balolsava jatha" (912/371214) . It Consists mainly of Pupper shows and group songs The Enthokondu"). We chose some of the primary School lessons and converted them into pupper dramas. The whole exercise was a big success, children were very happy and they song alound with us. I have written half a dozen songs ten children. Shall send you the translations soon. Ex As in the Case of "Sastra Kala jatha", there were Inv. learns one travelling from south and the other

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were conducted in several schools. This mainly consisted
of your projects as well as a few projects that some
of our teachers had fashioned,

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Early done in Tourit.

It many things are happening. It seems that of semething like a bullettin is very essential to share experiences with friends, as your magnitud. We have taken it seriously the bullettin may whant appearing from october or November.

Another programme is ont health classes and doing information comparign. We have prepared some meterial about banned doings and the idea is to visit doctors (just as the Medical representatives de) and distribute and discuss the doing information soon, we are starting the 10000 health class programme also.

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yours Knishna Please send the books in

My name to KSS Paffice.

RSSP,

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27 - 7 - 1986

My dear Arvind Bhaiya,

It has been a long time since we wrote to each other. I had thought that I had last you in this huge would but a rather lucky coincidence, that I came to know about you.

The magazine stree issue June 86 luckily fell into my hands. We even didn't know of this magazine but at a friends place, 5 just picked it up lying on the table and just was going over the pages and just as I was going to close the book, I saw a familiar face, and it was to my greatest surprise that it was your photo. I had known you only for a few days and I came to know more about you through your letters, but believe me or not I would have recognised you even if I had seen you after another twenty years, because I am a great fan of yours and I still remember the astrony book you rad given us and because you had no per in your hands you wrote your name with the tip of a matchstick. I still remember every instance of my days with you 5t was a little unjecturate that we could not meet each other afterwards, but I want to be continuously in touch with you and hope that we

do not lose each other again

I am not the same Ajay that you know in Jamshedpus. I have grown up. I just finished my graduation and on the way to become a Chartesed Accountant. Sanjay (my elder brother) has joined Merchant wavy and is presently serving with the Shipping Corporation of India. My daddy is working here in a private company ralled Dalal Projects and Services (P) Std as their General Manager. Mummy is also fine and she manages the house.

Que years in Telco Tamehedpur, as a company of very righ standard, daddy could not suit himself in companies around on corruption and mismanagement, so we have been moving around India. After Rune, we went to Delhi and were there for a year or so and then we again shifted to Bembay, and now we plan to remain in Bombay as daddy is around his retirement age.

I am presently doing my articleship with a chartered accountant. It is sort of an apprentice where we have to work for a period of three years with a chartered accountant and we get a small stipend of Rs 150/- per month as our pocket expenses. So I have thus started earning also. We have to two exams to clear after which we will be getting the degree of A.C.A. I will be giving my first exam in November this year.

How is Bhabiji? Your last letter that I

How many times am I going to be called uncle now?

I came to know a lot about you through the asticle and it is my greatest honous and pride that I know you so closely. I hope that we neet someday. It was a real pleasure of leading about your nothods of teaching. I too would like to come to your place whenever I get leave, but do visit us if at any time you come to bombay

be anxiously waiting for your reply because I don't know whether this letter will reach your safe hands.

Hope that this letter finds you all in the pink of health

with love to you and all

P.S

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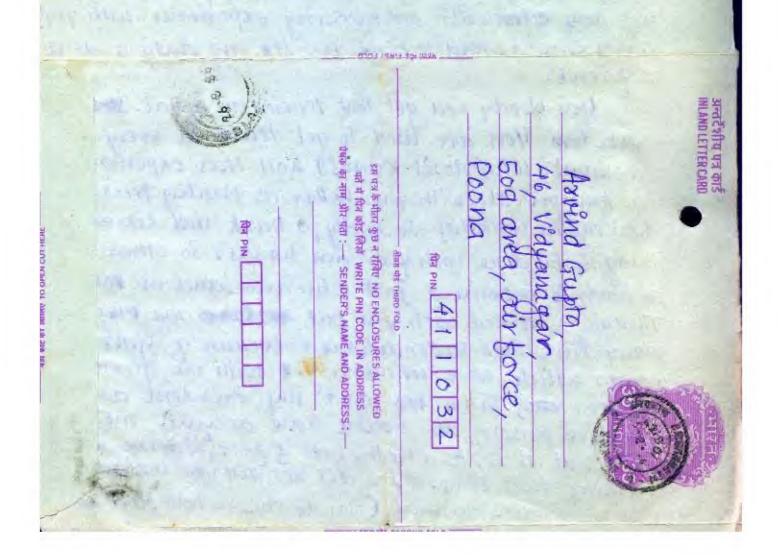
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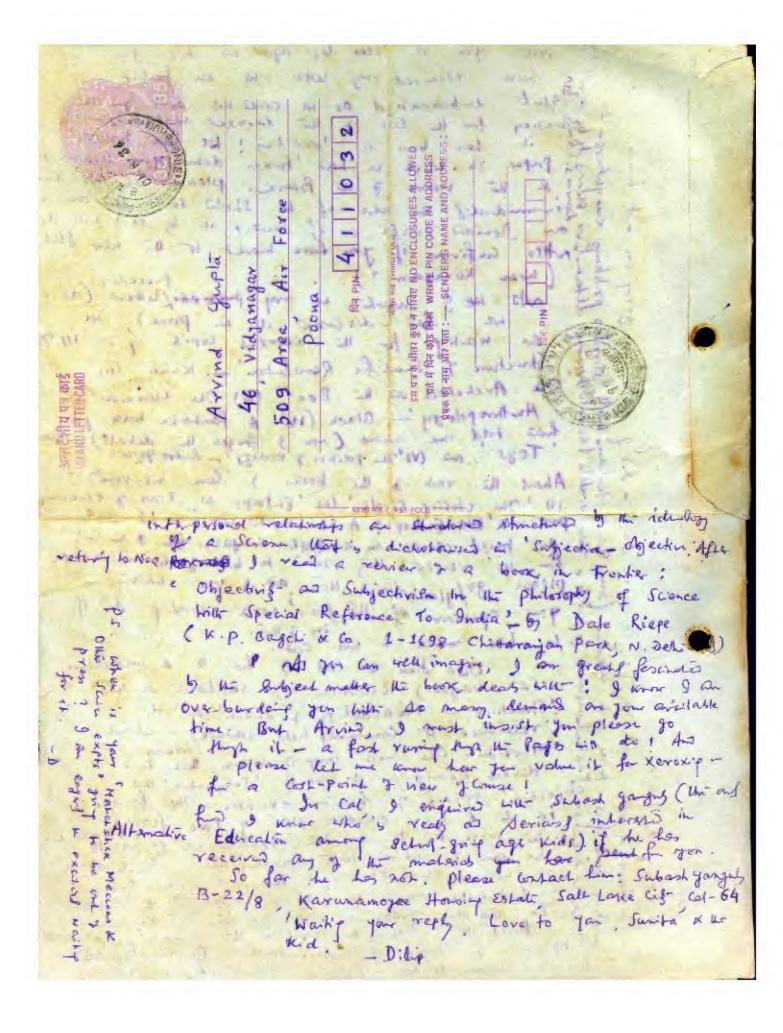
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Dear Vijay Singh ji,

Greetings,

I hope this finds you in the best of spirits and you are spending your time fruitfully. I was in Delhi for 21 weeks (21st May to 7th June) and spent my time quite fruitfully. I have obtained the video recordings of 40 programmes (12 hours duration) on school science teaching from NCERT and a promise for making video prints of about 90 of their 16 mm films (about 30 hours duration). This will take about a year. But the good thing is that they have agreed to do it. I also got a promise for about 10 programmes (about 5 hours duration) from CENDIT on social movements. This we should get for a nominal cost (about Rs. 200.00) and should have next month. I bought 18 video cassetts (3 hours duration) costing about Rs. 190 each. They are original National cassetts and so the quality of prints from NCERT is excellent. Thus most of the programmes we are getting are in colour and their technical quality is good. Unfortunately, the NCERT films are more suitable for children or science students. So most of the material with us is of restricted use on the whole. I am quite enthused by my experience in Delhi. The task of obtaining suitable video cassetts is a difficult one, particularly because we cannot afford the commercial price. But I am convinced more than ever that this is the medium of the future and so gaining experience with it is very useful. In this your remarks give me a lot of strength and sustenance. Unfortunately, because mmuch of my time in Delhi was spent in fighting the friction of the govt. machinery, many tasks remain undone. Like two other important sources for good films are foreign missions like USIS and British Council, on one hand and Govt. agencies like Films Divn. Doordarshan and UGC centres like Jamia Milia. Exploration in them with suitable personal contacts may prove highly productive. Also I could not spend any time on developing the 35 mm slide medium. Locking at the cost and the sophistication of video we must work in this direction also. I also bought the video prints of two (somewhat progressive) commercial feature films (). The quality of prints is poor, but the price is low (about Rs. 120 with cassette).

In Kanpur Misraji, Dr Khanna and Sri Narendra Kumar (of the TVC, IIT/K) were quite happy at my Delhi trip. And now we are trying to buy a VCR and TV set at the earliest. NK also worked hard and transferred the set of 35 mm slides of Hist. of Sc. fiction on video cassettes. He put in a lot of effort (the programme is about 17 hours) and now the onus is on me to prepare a good Hindi script.

Also in Delhi I felt that we will benefit if we can get official support for our work. In this connection, IIT has at least two proposals for expension of the TVC, and I am suggesting the inclusion of a good video library. This could be a big help for us. Both N Kumar and Dr Mani have reacted positively to the suggestion, and now a concrete proposal has to be made.

We have submitted the papers for the registration of JVS, and have been asked by the office to contact on June 27th. Thus I hope that we should get our registration next month.

(अग मारिका में महिला) अजात लाला। उमने पुर्शा प्रायान और । अन्दे नहीं स्कूली स्ट्रें को पावा रहें। या भी यु अभी यु अगान है। आने में में में माने के का माना की माने हैं। आने माने हैं। आने माने हैं। आने माने के माने हैं। आने माने के का माने के माने के का माने का माने के का माने माने का माने माने का माने का माने का माने माने का

In the light of this I will like your help in the following tasks :-

- 1. Obtaining recorded video cassettes: The topics on which we will want them are a) Social movements and contemporary history, b) Gen. history and biography c) Anthropology and historical evolution of social institutions d) Natural History and Geography and e) Popular Science and hygiene. Obviously you should explore voluntary organizations and commerical sources. Note that here we need † VHS_PAL Video tapes and in USA one has NTSC. The conversion from NTSC to PAL is possible here, but difficult. So if you can get the conversion there, so much the better. Also please explore the possibility of getting good 35 mm slide-cassette sets on the above topics. Even if you cannot bring these with you please buy them, and leave them with some one, so that we may get them later. R.Sahay (Berkeley), A.Mohan (Syracuse), and C K Mohan (Comp.Sc., Deptt., SUNY, Stony Brook, N.Y.) could be helpful. I am sending photocopies of this letter to these people.
- 2. Catalogs of material from commercial sources. From NCERT, I found the names of some companies selling instructional A-V's. I do not have complete addresses. The names are i) CORONET instructional films, Chicago; ii) Encyclopaedia Britannica Films, Inc, Wilmette, Ill; iii) EXXON; iv) KCET/TV, Hollywood, Calif.* vii) N.Y.Natural History Museum; and viii) Walt Disney Production, Hollywood, Calif. May be you can get the complete addresses from the SUNY library, or asking some one else. If you can get them please ask them to send these catalogs to us directly. This information will be particularly useful for making suggestions for a video library of IIT/K.

 (* v) McGraw-Hill, New York; vi) Institute of Inter-America Affairs).

 3. A good book on use of video equipment by amatures (cost not more than \$10).
- 4. Source for the availability of progressive feature films (Hindi and otherwise), If you respond positively on this, then I can send a list of about 20 films.
- 5. Unrecorded cassettes. The best one available here in the market is National NV-E180PS-A and costs about Rs. 200. It should be 3 hours duration and VHS-PAL. There are obvious customs restrictions on this. So bring what you can, if you cannot bring anything does not matter. So please suit your convienience.

I am writing this detailed letter, and not waiting for your reply as your stay is short. Rest is all well. Please write back as soon as possible.

Yours affectionately,

Ahmedahad 28/8/86 Dear Arvind Thank you so much for the three copies of tets the three copies of tets the I have passed on to Mannote and Kartikeya respectively the two copies you had inscribed to them orisply written and easy to read. Arvind Deshponde's graphics add considerably to the charm. Sujit's printing, of course, is impeccable. guet one or two minor critical comments: The essence of your method is to give notional approximations of measurement units. It would therefore have been more appropriate to stick to just one system (cgs) rother than using both cgs and fps. It could bring in errone one ideas of equivalence which way be difficult to wipe out later. The other point is regarding the model of the nethene molecule. I feel it risky to convey what is effect it is although a better idea, I think to institute them in such concrete termination in such concrete termination work out their own abstractions. I reality than in the print of an abstraction is a reality of the point, of course. Darshan Shanker of the tendenny of Development Science, near Karjat, wrote to me some time back regarding a problem he was facing in the matter of weatherproof signage for trees. I remembered your aluminium-sheet-and workshop-punch idea, and have suggested to him to contact you

an Carristant to help Poon best

Dear Arrivol,

Sincere apologies for the delay in replying to both your letters. I did receive the copy of SIVASWAPNA and was really leppy to do so. Unfortunately, I cannot understand harathi, so cannot have the pleasure of reading it I did show it to my parents who were excited to know that Gynthais nasterpiece is being taken up seriously. Have you any idea how the copies in harathi which have been distributed to the school teachers are being used? It would be interesting to get some feedback.

Although I haven't yet been able to do nuch, I am touly interested in translating Gipilehai into English. I would need some guidance on what to Take up for translation and how to go about getting it published. I'm sure you can help in to do this Is it better to take up has cildren's stories on his other writings on education? Do guide ne and I can get started. It's a project that the been wanting to do for a long time and I'm determined to nake time for it.

Ivork at CEE is absolutely hectic. We're involved in a number of projects and working hard to neet all the deadlines. Our training workshops for teacher from Juparat continue we are planning a series of orientation workshops all over the country during neventeer-December this year and are currently involved in planning the logistics of such a rajor verture.

Do keep ne informed about the progress on the Divaswapna T.V. serial.

Lohat ove you involved in these days? Any chance of your coming this side? You nust plan to trip to Blavnagar also. I am likely to be in Blavnagar during October and november, as I am expecting a baley then. If you could come around then, it would be nice. Ive can spend some time working out the translations of gipibhie. I hope to have started on something by then. Ahnedabad goes through sporadic bours of victs. Its importunate that the clinate of distribut and violence is gaining roobs steadily. Hepe all is well at your end. So keep is louch, with lest wishes hands.

Dr. D. Bhatt

M.B.B.S., D.P.H., Lt. Col. (Ex-I.N.A.) Chief Medical Officer (Petd) Regd. No. 4486 HALDWANI

Date Nov. 26, 1985

My dear Arrived, g hope you have received my last letter which I wrote a few weeks ago. Enclosed is an invitation to my redding. It will be a pleasure if you could attend any part of it. The address is

Dr. Damodar Bhatt Shree Niketan Nawati Road Haldwani, U.P.

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बारात प्रस्थान --- प्रातः ७:३० वजे (नवाबी रोड-हल्द्वानी से गुणवन्त लीज, भीमताल को) वापसी बारात --- सायं ४ वजे

मंगजवार, ३ दिसम्बर १६८५

नमपान ...

सायं १ बजे

Ambarnath 29th August 87

bear Arvind,

Received your post card today, I have already writen to you, after I got too the My first reaction was that it could have been better than this. Well, I know, as an a visualiser, certain things. Such a outcome was anticipated. I could have made it little better than this with a little bit move time and freedom. We will do next time a better job.

I have been showing it to the kids around here. But bloody this 7 v culture in these cities is destroying all the creating and imaginations of all the kids those who have T.V. Sets at home. All their retreeness and thought structures are slowly getting formulated on the basis of T.V. Serials and other programmes. Even those who do not have TV sets at home, either they envey their fellow kids or go and see programms at their triend's homes. Well this is my indivisual experience. Eklavya havelug experience, time and vesources could try otherwise.

Written something which I wanted to Its like a background on which the proposal can be based. But the problem is it is more of a ser excersion on twhich furthin peopeeties on political education can be formulated. (At least 9 think so). And this sort of efforts will not be supported by DST (School) That is what sagar also said. So either I will have to form a new one on science education science communication etc. Or work hard on my original concept and with petience wait and look for the support from other institutions. Sagar of sugarted that I should make a video film on your efforts in science of education. And proposal of that beind will get supported by DST. (I had this idea since last year on my mind istuich I have to discuss with you sometime seriously) But for now I think I will be meet Navendra Schagal birst and find out his feels and what I can do with it is given constraints.

Well I said hallof to got but did not get much response We saw each other that was all. I think he is happy . and he should be always like that. Of Depen It depends on various things. Our on vary much! If feel like writing to me do write on Vijais address, 9 will pick up my lettens from him. What else The depression are still there which make me sometime unbaneble to byself. thow is Sunita? I would like to talk to her sometime. Give my love to her and Dulan with boot wishes and P.S. 9 will return your money as soon as 9 get in to the position to do so, surrepo lots of love CHO ISHIJ SIB HAD

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शिन दिन ही विकार पर पड़ा हैं। यह मिश्री एवं ते क्रिक हे की क्रिक थी, क्रिक हिन ही विकार पर पड़ा हैं। यह मिश्री एवं ते क्रिक हे की क्रिक थी, पर अवका निर्देश के कि क्रिक हे क्रिक हे क्रिक है क्रिक के क्रिक है क्रिक क्रिक क्रिक क्रिक क्रिक है क्रिक क्रिक

कि है हि अपने मही लिसे दिया। काज कुछ रहत है की? नाम किर कि है हि अपने के कि इनका से हि है। कि अपने कि उपन नहीं हो पायेगा, यह प्रमा ही पूरा है। अमें तो बढ़ने हैं। के अपने वर आपी लियार किया। यह तय पाया कि अभी कई और कीट बर्मा की हाजन अकतर अनाने है प्रमाण काज की तह स्पिक्तिया रहेंगे। स्ट्रियार कार्स कार्म के ही नहीं कार्म का हिर्दे हैं। सेपे विनारों की ताक महने की उजी ता स्का एका के हिर्दे भेपे विनारों की ताक महने की उजी

म-म ता हमिनारी पिलेश की रिकिस ने के किया की मार् बाल-नेयरिंग बनेगा। बनित्र नेता शहस किसी अभाकार के गरिष भाषान्त्री में जार्च में बात और है। ब्रांति की में कि कामी कोई संमायना नहीं। लिबरल उम्मेंक्सी ही अन्य आपे, स्तूब पुका क्षेत्रका ही या जार तो यही कुलि होगी। हिन्दू रिकारी क्षेत्र के 195 मिलने कि मिले किकार मिली किला है किल पाम परवते न क्षेत्र। छात्र के पति क्षा क्षेत्र वाक क्षित स्मित उत्तिक ने विसी क्षा की क्षिति राज कोरी कार्न बच्ने की sanity बच्चा ले नार्थ। All the may be no more wan in Arch man's reverie & yest It get I to It of Part white 1277 ept 202 रावर्त वा सुलाहरा ठावमा मिला। ओरी में ते व 4 वर्ष में राजी तथ मायान की कोरोविय कामान वा राजान के लिए प्रमान के जान के लिए के राजी तथ मायान की कोरोविय अमान की पर्दे के राजी के राज के राजी के पूर्ण या प्रेमीनारी जारे आम्यासी में दी पुरुष टार्च यह स्कीनार कार्म पड़ा कि नापानी द्वारामी एवं उनका विश्व का माना की है। यह परिषंड की मक्षान माने नहीं है। यह परिषंड की मक्षान माने नहीं है। यह परिषंड की मक्षान माने नहीं है। यह स्वीमिनी हमी के महानामार में महा यह शिम हमें निमाना का प्राप्त है। यह सम्बन्ध है। यह समाना का प्राप्त है। यह समाना का प्राप्त है। यह समाना की समाना (अ) कियाद में कि है तियाद कियाद की दूर कियाद

यह परवार अहम की के जापनी प्रांत्रम अब शिक्स व्याप की

के कोरेकी मान्याल पर बाज उनमी शुर नहीं प्रेमर हैं, पर िल के नारा मिल्याल की संमधना स्ट्रेंप्ट उनकी नम् इस कि पहले होगड़ भी है टाहर के निये एक विकिन होंगा में कार विने के निया में कार के निया में कार के निया के के में बीनाओं की। अनाम के किल हम है। मीना म्या Lives of children and are very us? aft If up & religion of the president द्वारी हा है। दिन पीओं हे किल ही है?

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Date: 7-8-86

Dear Shi Arvid Lington,

Greeting to you wife and your new born chier.

Or is long since we have been brush with one another I was expertise to meet you at the recently held workshop on Joun't venture between hour agencies and was hour Agenin A expline avenue for making an aimpair it many & Sneim education Perhaps you were in winter. However I met devou know byos and made engineer about you kyou . Phase find herein endow (1) a folder on Math Proper trops (2) a pain Hunder chippings contains to revent ontide of mine.

I read your articles in suem Age. They are grit food. I have with delight That Dept goe + Technolog is above to publish your book or June 2 Jun (?). Person like you are rare and have a great role to play in sprending service tempes so that is could form boins of ratoral living. In there scape to little Haller in pito Service Age?

I repeat your regner tryon to become a life member of AMTI so that the transition comb draw personal withinkin from your greet dipe. I hope you would are only arders the the think .

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Jehn - Almedahad 31.8.86 iTrain Dear Arrived, letter, after getting san attant. Last monday le 25th August we were blessed with Langthan went being - a levely Langthan Sulbha in time but stid in the hospital recovering after a somewhal- some difficult delivery. But ill is fine. 9 could visit them two days after the brith & both werd well. Whole week went in the Hent off Well. There are 3 Salia Sovials 1 Introduction @ to ow Indian trys & then Significence @ Two schedus as

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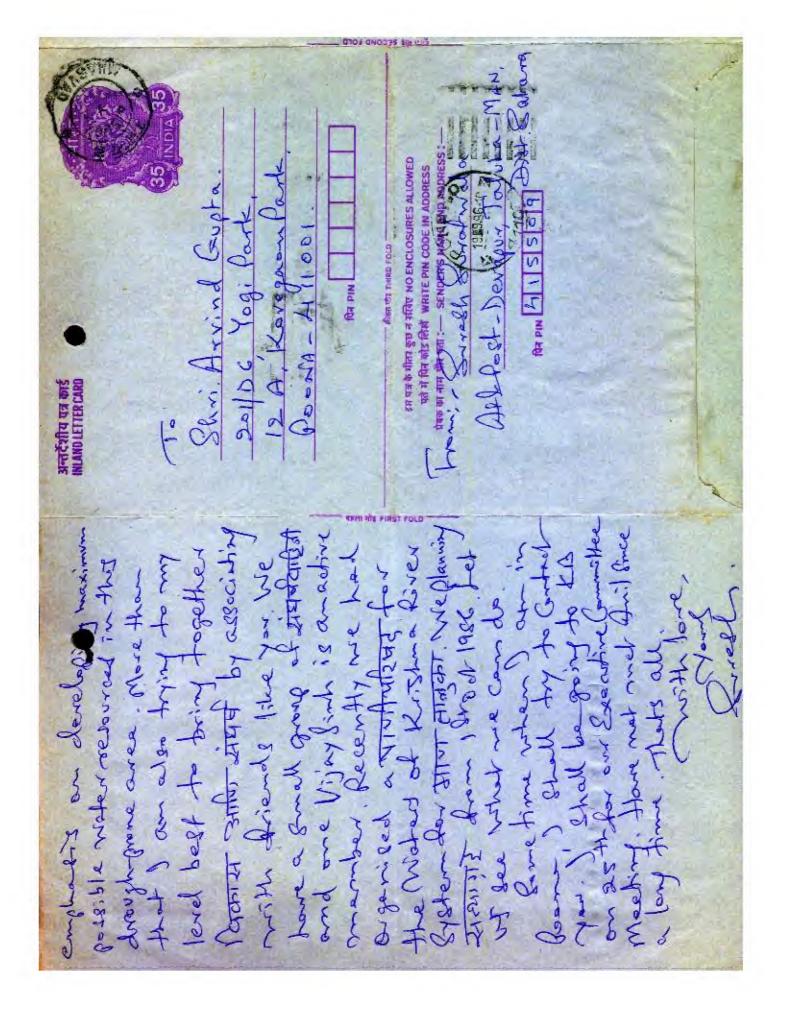
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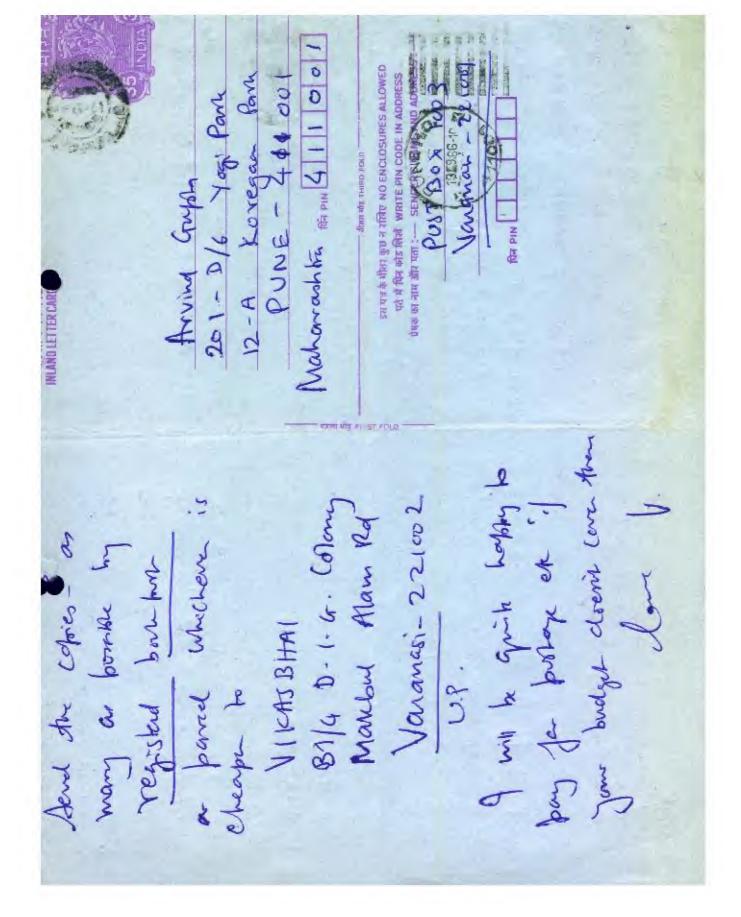
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What I have worten in very Varque notions which need to be shared when we meet Now the best why in that When you plan to go to Delha Just drop me a card a Feet os advance of possible so the or can see if 9 can com -visit Delhi in that time. Atternatually when ever 9 am visitio Delhis next 9 shell doop you at line 19th you could synaronize, then 4-5 of is can talk So much for now the train motion in casi devalle which effects the worting of this uph love Startin

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Rd Bombay 36 E14 Ben Neurs, B. Desai 1X:17:86 Dear Arrived: Yes I finally received your registered expacket of printed matter. To we now write of to the Yogi Park address - and not to the former I Air Force place? Confirm. I finally also heard I from Knishna & Frances Kumar. Did they Jacknowledge R. Panikkais asticle you sent them?

Your peace march sounded interesting. of Saw bits of this of Jethi kids on TV. How can People Stop the newclear arms hace, when to they continue to foster "competition" "grades." Asiads" - " thympics" among children - and when they Can't forgive one another in a family, when they Can't forgive one another in a family, among friends, in a Community! Do tell me. Some Xeroxed material and on your Sc. Book 1) The Xeroxed Striff-esp. by Sybil Marshall-I can't read much. Well I can manage the very five print in bright day light (have Vit A. deficiency) but the Xerox is so faint - so eye-strain does not enable reading it either. What Should I do?

(2) Your Science book - is in Hindi Since The forgotten all the Shind Hard learnt so well as a child along with Marathi (brain cells are dying.) - can't just estimate that at all -

- The illustrations are clear - should be easy for teachers to follow. All I wondered about is why did you then put some English captions here and there - then why not all the way, in a Consistent manner? of course you have your good and sound reasons for doing the book 200 and 200 H in Hindi - but my personal (yes, its personal & subjective...), opinion 15 - Hat I would have found it reseful if you had done it in English & Hindi- i.e the text on the pages could have one Column in thudi - one in English - that Way it would enable more sales, usefulners
PLUS - the Hindi readers improve their English
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do you feel about this Suggestion? Since you've asked - I hope you'll respond to Why can't our dear friend Knishnaik - write at Hindi Story for Chan in equally Charming toylit! Tell him - oh please - his capable of this task! Am enclosing a short review - the paper lacks space of S. Khannas - Dynamic Folk Toys And - have sent him a Similar Clipping. Shall I return this Sybil Marshall to you for an eligible print - as I am lost -wanted it for my in-service Courses. With Slive branch held high-yestTelephone : 652318

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पिय अरविन्द जी,

नमस्कार । "खेल खेल में" की प्रतियां १ पहले भेजी 20 और बाद में 100 भिलीं । धन्यवाद । अपनी प्रतिक्या लिखने से पहले अनुरोध करंगा कि आप इसे व्यक्तिगत रूप में न लेकर हमारे ध्येय १ जिसके लिये यह किताब छपाई गई है। को समक्ष और ध्यान में रख कर पढ़ें और विचारें :

किताब देख कर मुझे कुछ निराशा हुई । कारण:

- १। ट्राइप साइज़ बहुत छोटा है बच्चों के लिये तो क्या, बड़ों के लिये भी ।
- ≬2≬ पन्ने की एक ओर की छपाई दूसरी और भी दिखाई पड़ती है।
- १३१ चित्रों में अंग्रेज़ी ही अंग्रेजी बहुत खलती है पाठक को लगेगा कि बजाये इसी किताब के लिये विशेष रूप से बनवाये गये न होकर ये चित्र संभवत: किसी अंग्रेज़ी की किताब से टीपे गये हैं।
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 रचना न होकर अंग्रेज़ी रचना से अनुदित है।

आपको जो प्रतिक्यिए आ रही हैं, उनकी मुझे प्रतिक्षा है । हैदराबाद बुक ट्रस्ट यदि तेलेगु भाषा में "खेल खेल में" का रूपान्तर प्रकाशित करना चाहते हैं तो पूर्ण प्रस्ताव बना कर भेजें - उस पर विचार किया जास्गा ।

आपका,

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Pear Arvind,

Many thanks

for your 3 books.

— and congratulation!

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B-1A/7 A, JANAKPURI NDELHI. 110058 4/9/86. Dear award, I received 3 copies of your book and went through them with great joy and phasure. I've already presented the 3rd copy to a very nice of new priend of mine - Mallika - who is also very fond of the children & works in an organisation called ankwe! The also shown the book to a lot of Reople who now want to know from where they can order copies a how much they would seet so please do let me know. Thanks a lot for giving me a copy. Ill always because it How are you there days and what else we you doing? I was hoping I'd meet you was at the workshop in Rembay that Sagar & Co. Kad organi. sed but a very close family briend expired the day I was leaving so I ddn't come. Kayve o'll be able to see you either when you come to selli or when I come that side I am hoping to come in October or November. I am now working at a place called Centre for Education & com munication

CEC. at had started in 1982 with Paul Kevien, anorità chachi etc. But then ofter a while matters drifted from around april this year Deenadayalan Clarkier of Ollhi torum) has taken over & is trying to reorganise of restructure to aupport labour mented research ratudies of collection, documentation of disserving. tion of information we abile haven't thought about what exactly we will do & have well go about it. I am just esting out the earlier material of collecting the daily infor mation from newspapers magazines etc. we are trying to talk to reople to see what can be done that will some some pullipose. Everything is quite open & blexible will you please let us know your ideas on this. I would also like to meet you of discuss this thing in greater detail and I am quite pleased to discover that at last I am getting interested in something

Hoping to hear from you soon.

with kest wishes

Yours affectionately,

Dear Arvind:

Hope everything is going well for you. I arrived here almost exactly two months ago, and immediately started work. My employer here is called INE - the equivalent of an Energy Ministry and Electric Utility, and I am working in Energy Planning, and curvently, on a project for & future Electrical system Expansion Plauning.

Basically, things are going fritty OK with me. Work, looking for housing, learning the language better et. have kept me fairly busy so fax. Now that I've found a place to live, and my spanish is sort of ok, I'll try to participate

in the local grass roots organizations.

On yes thanks a lot for having sent me all the material promptly. I received it before leaving India, and have brought some of it with me here. Kosambi's Exasperating Essays" were particularly good. The small print makes it difficult to read an article for for more than 15-20 min continuously, but I

quess that is the price one has to pay for compactness.

The political situation is fairly stable as such. I mean the gout has the support of a large majority of people, even in such difficult economic Homes. The war waged by U.S. is taking a severe tall, first in terms of the no. of people getting killed, and then, the economic toll in general is quite large. Since early 1980, the economy has been going down. Inflation is high (200-400% a year) and a lot of basic commodities are scarce. The danger of direct or indirect U-S. invasion at full scale is higher now than ever - people guess that Reagan might try something severe if the "contras" (the U.S. supported merceneries) do not succeed in toppling the goot. Almost nobody, both inside and outside Nicaragua, believes that the contras will succeed even to the extent of posing a serious threat. In the ultimate analysis, I am very confident that the people themselves cannot be defeated, even with direct u.s. invasion. There several hundred thousand people (in a country of 3.2 million) armed and determined to fight. The invadors will have to kill them all to "win".

I had mentioned to you if you would be interested in coming here for some time to work in the area of education. Within the last 1-1/2 the years, the economic situation has become so bad that even very basic programs are being cut. Illteracy is again on the involved Under these conditions, I don't see the government being interested in putting any resources in basic programs, like development of educational methods. Some work from international funding is going on, and that is the only possibility. The govt does not even have maney to pay salarius, not to speak of even a few develops contributions towards the air fare from India. So, overall, the prospects look rather grim. If the evenomy goes into an evenall, the prospects look rather grim. If the evenomy goes into an emergency survival made, which it might, I wonder what would be the use emergency survival made, which it might, I wonder what would be the use of all this planning work that I am involved in -- at least in the short run of all this planning work that I am involved in -- at least in the short run

is going on with you, and India in general My address is:

Anil Gupta (el Indui) INE Planificación, OPE Apartado Postal 55 Managua Nicaragua.

My hello to Bhabiji (I've forgotten her name - Manisha I think), and love to the little one (again, I forgot the name).

In soldarily,

P.S. I am sending this letter through a friend from Inclue, who is returning to Inclue, after the later, his studies in U.S. I will try to type up something about what is going on here, and y you find something else enclosed, do try to said it to Bhanat/Bail and others you thust.

P. GOVINDA PILLAI

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59-1986

Dear Com. Arrived Jupla,

Thank you very much for Jam card ddid 15-7-1986. Jam sorry for this long delay in responding.

When your letter came I was in Delhi, and I went on to Allahabad and some other Haces. When I returned I found myself very unwell and was admitted to a hospital. I am a reiting this from a hospital bed - and I may here to be here for two or three weeks more So, as kindy excuse me for his long delay.

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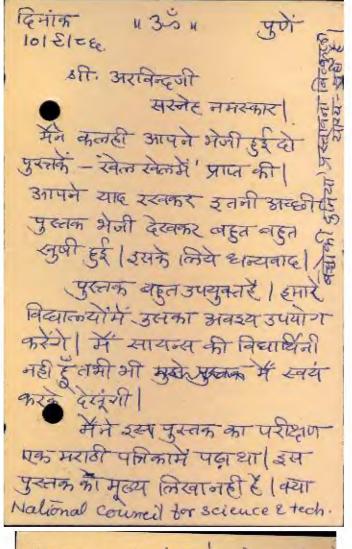
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Congratulating you once again on your innovative approach in science popularisation,

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

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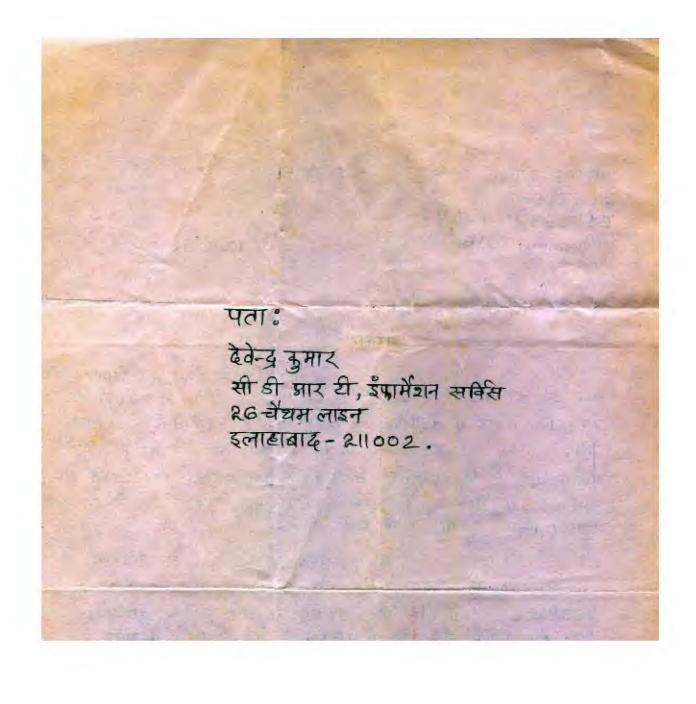
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My dear Gupta,

Thank you very much for sending a copy of the very interesting pamphlet.

This is a very good contribution and represents a new approach to producing educational pamphlets.

I expect that your ideas will be of immense value in developing training methods for technology transfer for rural development.

Regards,

Yours sincerely,

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वापका दिनांक १३।६।=६ का कृपा पत्र तथा ३ पुस्तकें केंछ वेछ में पृगप्त हुई। आपका प्रयास सराहनीय है। इससे कन्नों का समय एवं नुद्धि का विकास होगा।

वायने जिला है कि सभी तेवल मान्यून में स्कूजों की वापने वांटी है। यदि आप विहास साजस्थान, गुजरात, उत्तर पृदेश, विधानल पृदेश, हरियाणा वादि में में भी स्कूजों में मेंना पतन्य करें तो वसकी ४०० प्रतियां यहां

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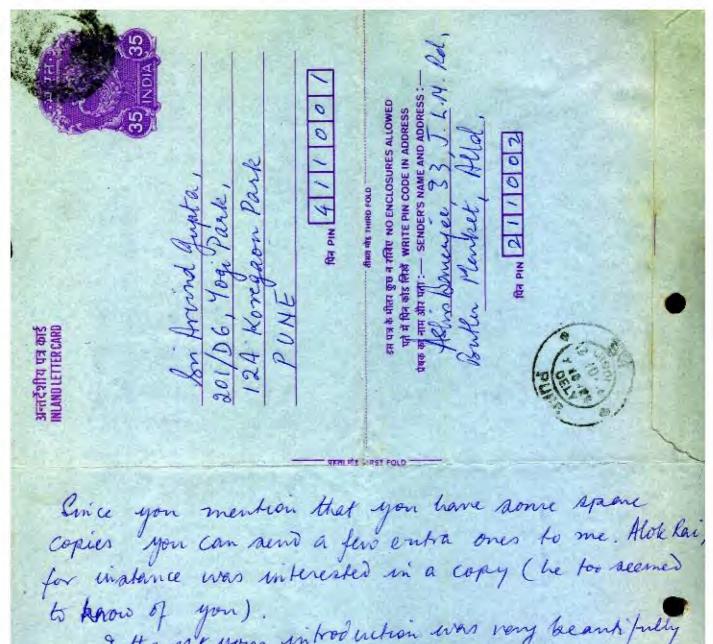
पार्शित से मेज दें। इम उन्हें उपने विशान के पार्छकों की विशान के अंक के साथ मेज देंगे। बाशा है जाप सानन्द होंगे।

भवदीय (गंगायर तिवगरी) कापालय-पुभारी



Dear Amind.

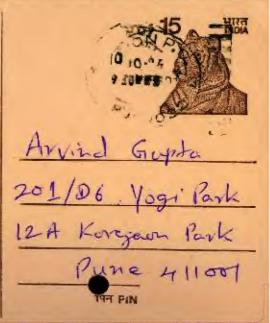
You may have given me up as a lost case ky now. I hope you will forgive my ruderers for not replying earlier. Jour books were received in due time and both Vasuoha and I enjoyed reading them. We have shown the books to some friends who have not only enjoyed the & book but have asked whether they could have a copy for their children ers well. But what would sound most reassuring to you is the fect that one Labet Unigal, about whom you may have heard, has expressed a desire to have the book available for his schoolchildren. In case you don't know about halt (he recalled having met you once) he joined the 115 sabout 12 or 13 years ago. Then threw up his job and decided to work full time among land leas harjans in a village called Aan near Attarra in Banda district. After many Set backs he has finally got a footbold there through a school he has not up (and has been running for 6 years or as) especially for poor children. I have given him your address as that he can get in touch with you directly. Like many of us he is not a party person but is determined to do his kit, and has proved it. In case he haant been able to write to you, you Could send me some copies (say 10) for his school. 9 shall be visiting the school on its annual day 14 th Hovember



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I thought your introduction was very beautifully written. As for the nest of the contents I can only any written. As for the nest of the contents I can only any that it is fascinating. I do hope that you keep up this encellent work and wish you all the best for your book on birds. People I have spoken to about this are already looking forward to this book. There are real persons here who may be able to help you with it too. So in case you can make it to plansked with it too. So in case you can make it to plansked with it too. So in case you can make it to plansked with it too. I will be a good experience for us & your some time, it will be a good experience for us & your.

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प्रिय अरविंद सस्नेह सलाम,

जापका खत और किताबे जाकर काफी समय विता है, चाहता था की जरा जारामसे और विस्तारसे लिखुं। लेकिन छोटी छोटी फालतू लेकिन बत्कालीक महत्व रखनेवाली बातों में फंसा रहा। एक तो खब में अपनी नृतनीकरण कियो हुवी रूममें आ यमा हूं। उसमें कुछ दिनों तक व्यक्त सहा। और अब ग्रंथालीके ग्रंथमो हो क कार्यक्रमकी तमयारी में हूं।

गुंधाली के जिस कार्यक्रमके बारेमे नापने तो पढ़ा हो होगा । क्रेडिंड नंदुरबारमे भी ये कार्यक्रम हो रहा है। को रिक्ष ये है की कवी नारायण सूर्वेजी यहां पधारे। उनका का व्यवायन का कार्यक्रमतो होगाही, लेकिन सोच रहा हूं की यहहं जो जा दिवासी लालू हो जिन तालूकां ओ के स्थानिय जा दिवासी और दलित साहित्यको के साथ उनकी गोष्ठी अग्योजित करे तो अच्छा असर होगा। प्रदर्शन और सांस्कृतिक कार्यक्रम यशदायी हो जिसलिये एक प्रारंभिक समितो कठीत हुवी है। जिसमे पांच तालूका के स्टूट कुछ प्राध्यापक और शिक्षक और जन्म को गांची।

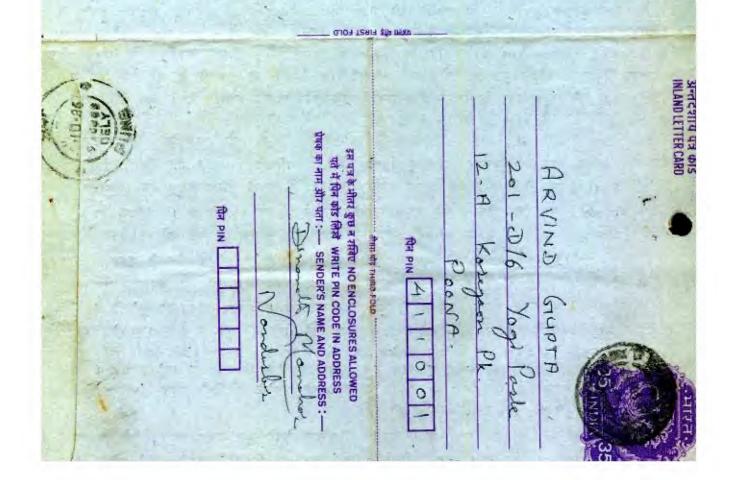
जिस समितीकी चविमे जैसा सुझाव आया की, जिसी सार्यक्रम के साधा अगर शिक्षको के सीलये कुछ चर्चा गोष्टठी आयो जिल कियी जा सकती है तो बेह तरीन होगा । वैसे नंद्रबार विभागमे विगानकी प्रदर्शनी होती रहती है । कुछ विज्ञान शिक्षकों को असमें काफी त्वी है। कुछ साल पहिले का न्सीलने यहां एक से मिनार भी आयोजित किया था, जिसमे विज्ञान शिल्लममे जिंडी जिनस मठेरिजल केसे जिस्तेमाल किया जा सकता है जिसपर चर्वा हुवी के धी। आपकी किताब भी जिन लोगोने देखी है। सुजाव ये जाया की जगर जाप अस वक्त की हो और यहा। जा सकते हो तो एक 🚅 दिन शिक्षकोके साथ आपकी गोष्ठी रखी जा सकती है। विषय या तो शिक्षक, विदयार्थी और आजकी शिक्षापुणाली हो सकता है या तो आजकी विशान शिक्षापुणीली के हो सकता है या आप जो ससैत करे . जिसमें शिक्षकोकी रूची हो । मे 🗪 समस्ता हुं की अगर आप आ सके तो अच्छा रहेगा । शिक्षको का रिस्पान्स अच्छा रहेगा ये मुले जिस्तास है। और नारायण सुर्देजी के साध दो दिन, निकालने का मोका मिलेगा । चाहता तो था की खूद आकर आपको मिलू और कार्यक्रम निश्चित कर लेकिन के अब नोव्हेंबरतक तो यह संभव नहीं होगा। वैसे में आजनी बंबजी जा रहा हूँ और दो तीन दिनों के लिये वहाँ रहूँगा भी। लेकिन पूना जाना असंभव है। जापही जिसके 📾 बारेमे सो चिये और संभव हो तो जानेका प्रोग्रॅम जरूर फिर्नेस कि जिये।

और क्या हो रहा है 9 काफी दिनोसे गेलसे कुछ खबर नहीं, देसे वाहारूसे मुलाकात होती रहती है। का वो भी डिसें 6/1/इ जिन दिनामें यहाँ रहेगा। क्रोड़ गत तीन चार महिनोसे कुछ खास लेखान नहीं हो पाया। छुटपूट लिखता रहा सायन्स फिक्शन लिखनेका तय किया था , हो न सकर । जिस साल कुछ कहानीयोँ भी न लिख सका । अब सोचता है की काम करना पड़ेगा ।

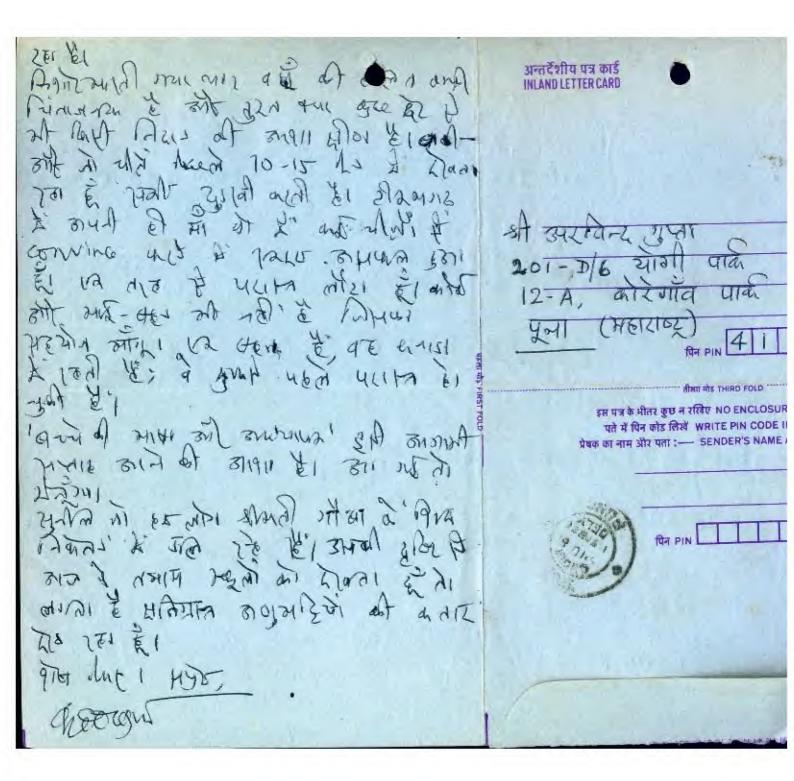
बंबजीमे आपसे मुलाकात हंजी के लेकिन जादा बाते ना हो सकी । वेसे जन दिनों में जिस सेमिनार- शिबीर की तथयररी की चक्करमें वहां आया धा वो आदिवासी कर्यिकतिओं का शिबीर जानेवारी तक पोर्ट्टपेंगन करना पड़ा है। अब मालूम नहीं की जानेवारी में भी होगा या नहीं।

जगर आप आ सकते हो तो जरूर निरिचत किजियेगा, मे को शिश करेंगा की छिसें के पहिले आपको पुना आकर मिलू। सुनिसा और दुलहरी कैसी है १ अब पुनामें और लोगोंसे संबंध रखनेके लिये आपको सुष्ण आसान हुआ होगा। आपको तो टेक्नीकल जिन्सटीटयूटकी हव्हें ल्यूशन का प्राजिक्ट मिल गया क्या १ आप वहा। आते जाते नोगें। बाकी सभी क्षेत्र, लिखे •••

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National Institute of Design, Paldi, Ahmedalad-7, 19 oct '86.

19 oct:86. Dear Arvaide Suptas C Thank you very much for your generous geft. I was very touched with the gesture of good will. The book is beautful - a black twhite Classic and extreenly enriching from the beginning till the end. Congratulations to you and the publishers. The line drawings are excellent, the explanation just enough, the quote at the back is too good. One day 9 had gave to say hello to my neighbours their two lads. - Sirl Greans of boy in 9th. clan were busy with makeh sticks of rubber tubes! They had Deen your programme on T.V + immediately got the things from the market of sat it for next few days.

9 lent them from our library the models you gave us to see - they wanted to know sall about you + year models. The same week 9 got a about you + year models. The same week 9 got a copy from 8k khawa + also your packet for me. I will give the books (extra) to dome one who can really use it. Thank you once again very much.

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प्रिम भाडे अलिन की,

विवादी कार्य सिद्धार्क में आपरी, पुलाद विवादिन पें प्राप्त दी। आशा दें दी पावती आर्पन भी सपीरिमा इसी दुनी मनाई होती। मेरी शुभ सामनापं आपरे साम है।

'तिल किल में पुस्तम, प्रांस बहुत ही अर्थे.
लगी। इस में बच्चा में विस् अत्यान अपेमार्गी अल्ला हा या में जहां बच्चा हां, एम अतिवार्ष पुस्तम मह समता दें। बच्चा में विमास में यह बहुत सहायम हा समती है। इसमी प्रस्तावन के भी आपेन बड़ी एन्स् निर्दी है। इसमी लिए भी आपमें। बस्मीर्थ।

मिस पत्र दे आवरप में मार्ग हि भी आप में विकार में अमार्श में का पार्ट के मार्ग में प्रमार्शित माना न्यार मार्ग दे का पार्ट के मार्ग के का प्रमार्श मार्ग के का प्रमार्श मार्ग के का प्रमार्श मार्ग के का प्रमार्श के मार्ग के का प्रमार के का प्रम के का प्रमार के का प्रमार के का प्रमार के का प्रमार के का प्रम के का प्रमार के का प्रम

दूर्ली बात पर र मि मिने उन्हा प्रदेश हिन्दी छहेगा मा बन्मां में सिट एमं छंत्रा मान मांच तेपाद मिन प्रमाशित मित में तीर मता लिया है। अब माम इस दीपाद मरित मार्थ जिस् कि हा विषय म विद्वान संपदम नाहिए जा एम अन आस्त्रमम जान मा. नामन में ता देखी आ वक्षा में ध्यमान मा ध्यम मिं अंत खर पासर में मिन पी में। मिन चम्त केंत्र अंत् । हिर्दित वांस असंग असम हैं तो भी माम न्यल हमता है। पुरस्य माम ता विभिन्त विषया में अलाम अलाम संपादम दारत मा है। एक के आप दे की करते हैं। हा हता में भी में विस्ता । अभि देश मा में भी भी अहं अपुका व्यक्ति हो अने गाम पेत भी आप मेर पाह भेज दें। मात्र बड्डत बडा ह अंग हम्म भी बद्धतं लोगा (मुद्ध चित्र मा भी जाय लगा धर्म । पर माप एक बार अह के भीप ता विका केता की दिगा और एक Eआपी महत्त्व मा माम है जीप गा। आप रत योग बाता मा उत्तर प्रांत प्राथित िस के अंग अर्थ बटा और।

अपनी पत्नी की पा गम्बा अंत बन्दी कि एमा किरिएमा। पर प्रनित, म्ह्या छटित का की है।

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To ,

ARVIND GUPTA 201/Do Yogi Park 12, a KOREGAON PARK POONA-411001

Dear Mr. Gupta,

J understand from Mamata that DIVASWAPNA is going to be translated in Kannada, Malayalam and other languages. I further understand that a Mr. Tripurari Sharma is doing a I.V. Serial on DIVASWAPNA.

I am glad that you are taking so keen an interest in Gijubhai's work and are promoting his literature. I should be happy to learn more about this from you.

There is one more point which I would like to draw your attention to. Copy rights of all of Gijubhai's writings are held by me. Any translation, adaptation, advamatisation or production thereof in any audio/visual medium is subject to this copy right. I shall be thankful to you if you please convey this fact to all those whom you have suggested DVASWAPNA and advise them to obtain cleavance from me.

With regards,

Yours very truly, mulin Baothebar. Vimuben Badheka)

I may add for your information that DIVASWAPNA has already been dramatised in Gojavah and staged. **CSE**

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Dear Arvind,

Thank you for the two copies of 'Khel Khel Mein' which you had sent me. It is a very nice publication. Congratulations!

Why don't you send us a few copies which we can send off to friends?

Do keep in touch.

With my very best wishes,

Yours cordially.

(ANTI Addawar)

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My dear Arvind Gupta,

Oct 17, 1986

Thanks for the two copies of ted 2 81 1 It is good. Much of it the material you had demonstrated here. The only problem I see with this is that the teacher himself herself should be enthusiastic about it, and should not have the feeling that something cheap trivial is being passed off. It needs a great deal of enlightenment to realise that cheap and simple things can in some situations, be better (or at least as good), and may, in some other situations, be the only recourse available I wish you luck in your endeavours. With Kind regards, Yours sincerely yours sincerely I am passing these copies to my wife, and see if she can make use of them in her school.

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October 22, 1986

Dear Arvindji,

Thank you very much for your letter of 9.10.86, enclosing copies of photographs and a letter from Shri Krishnakumar of KSSP. I am thrilled.

It is heartening to know of the tremendous response "Khel Khel Mein" has generated and is generating.

Re: Translations into different languages (I would much rather have 'adaptations'):

What happens if, two, three or more organisations decide to bring out versions in any one language? It will cause lots of confusion.

- ii) What if these language versions come out as priced publications?
- iii) Will all these language versions carry the credit lines, as they appear in the Hindi original?
- iv) Will all these versions acknowledge the fact they have been adapted/translated from the original Hindi Edition?
- v) Will all these agencies seek persmission from the publishers (i.e. NCSTC, Eklavya) to bring out other language versions?

Re: Serialising of articles from "Khel Khel Mein" in regional language and other magazines: basically there is no objection, provided they all acknowledge the source (writer & publisher).

Are you coming this side in the near future? I hope we can meet soon.

With warm personal regards,

Yours sincerely,

(Narender K. Sehgal)
ph: 652318

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D/ 22nd oct 1986

Dear Shri Arvind Gupta,

Thank you for your letter of the 7 th oct. I am sorry for the

delay in replying.

your letter was placed before the meeting of the Executive Committee of the Marathi Vidnyan Parishad, Pune Vibhag, and I am happy to inform you that the executive committee has whole heartedly agreed to undertake the work of Marathi translation of your booklet khel khel Me. The booklet was very much liked and appreciated by all the members. It must be made clear, however, that the Marathi Vidhyan Parishad, Pune Vibhag, will not be able to bear the cost of printing the Marathi translation. The publication will have to be fluanced by some agency such as the National Council for Science and Technology or the D.S.T, or the I.I.E etc.

I am quite eager to see The book got translated into Marathi (Myself and Dr.V.D. Bookar will undertake the work of translation, if it is entrusted to the Marathi Vidryan Parishad), you are therefore requested to please contact Dr. V.D. Bookar c/o M.A.C.S. (Phone No 56357)

Thanking you and Wishing you and your family a very happy Diwali and a prosperous and productive New Samvatsar.

yours Sincerely



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Dated 27/11/86

My dear Arvind.

I was very happy to receive your letter. It is really two decades since we left school. I still remember the farewell party. I realize now, that our School - teachers and nuns have done a lot for us. The school years were imporbant land marks, which will be reflected in many facets of our life and career. 9 left Bareilly in 1970 after Intermediale from 49 I.C. I passed M.B.BS from Lordy Hardinge Medical College, Delhi in 1974, followed by Internship and Housejob from the same institution 9 got married in 1976. you will notice the charge in name. My husbandi name u Jamal Azig, and the has done the D. Loology and the has done (Ecology & Environmental suches)

He is Reader in University of Delhi. to we have our permanent home in Aligarh, I where I am living with my in-laws. My son is 9 yis old, and my daughter is 8 yrs old now. & I finished my M.D. Clathology from J. N. Medical college Aligarh in 1981 : I am a permanent Lecturer in JNMC. Since June 1982 I She lives in Joipur and is very happy as whe has always been full of laughter and gainty. She took over Arts from Science and did very well after that. She got her MA in English Literature from Bareilly, the same year I had passed my MBBS. Kan Kapoor is also a doctor MDC Medicie from Maulana trad medical college, Delhi He has a flourishing practice in gaziahad. Pramod chatuwedi has a job in State Bank of India (Bareilly) Shehla Alebar (still unmarried) is teaching in Central School (Maltiura). Lareen Abbas is married and is in England. you will be said to know that Meera chard passed away in 1972. She had just faken a penicillin cayietion at the litary Hespital to a smale boil on toe; Delhi an when she had penicillin anaphylaxis. She left behind two sons who are 16 yrs 1/4 yrs old now. They were prought up by Oidi Anil Bordia Additional Secretary Tel. No.: 386451

> Ministry of Human Resource Development (Department of Education) Shastri Bhawan New Delhi

30 December 1986.

Dear Arvind,

Many thanks for your letter dated 8.11.1986 and the second copy of this book earlier also and I had sent a reply. I have greatly liked this little book, which seems to me to be a real contribution to the methods of teaching of science to children. Recently, Mr. SH Umemoto and Ms. Geeta Verma of UNICEF had met me and I suggested to them that this book should be translated into all the regional languages along with Preparation for Understanding. I told them that if UNICEF can do this we would like to send a copy of each book to all the primary and middle schools and also give a personal copy to all the teachers during the proposed training programme next summer.

I have had a talk with Binoy Vohra, Executive Secretary, INSA about Indira Gandhi Memorial Award for Popularisation of Science. He said that a very large number of applications have been received and had been referred to Language specialists. He said he cannot say whether you have a chance to get the Award.

You will recall that I had had a talk with you about SANDHAN and the large programme of primary education and non-formal education through village youth.* That programme has now got off to a start. SANDHAN has been provided funds to set up a core faculty. Gautam Bhattacharya will function as the whole-time Coordinator. I expect that Prof. HN Gupta will take long leave from NCERT to join this programme. We are all very keen that you also associate yourself with this project, on whole-time basis if possible. If you and your family do decide to move to Jaipur it should be possible to find a satisfactory job for your wife also. If your moving to Jaipur is just not possible, please let me know what arrangement can be made for your association with this programme.

With warm regards,

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Yours sincerely,

(Anil Bordia)

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Anil Bordia Additional Secretary Ministry of Human Resource
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5 February 1987

Dear Arvind,

I am thankful for your letter dated 23 January.

I am delighted to note that you may be going to Tilonia in mid-March. I have had a talk with Goutam and have suggested him that he may discuss with you the possibility of your continuing association with SANDHAN. They should also try to send half of the Siksha Karmis of the Silora Block for your training at SWRC.

Regarding the English translation of the Divaswapna I will make enquiries from people regarding its publication and will let you know.

I am sending herewith a crossed draft of Rs,52/being the cost of four copies of Kosanbhi's Science, Society and Peace.

With warm regards,

Yours sincerely,

(Anil Bordia)

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10th Feb. 1987

Mr. Arvind Gupta, 46, Vidyanagar, 509 Area, Air Force PODNA 411 032.

Dear Arvind,

I was very happy to receive your booklet "Zam xam happy also to get your address. You may remember that we met at the workshop organised at Dr. Chowdhry's institute sometime ago. I was really fasinated by the work you had done. I was in the USA for a year & returned only last June. I spent a week with my nephew Josy(Vijaya Raghavan), your classmate at Kanpur. We were talking about you.

I understand from you address that you have shifted to Poona. I'm sure you must be doing very useful work there. Do keep in touch - When you come to Delhi next, you must get in touch with me. I would love to have you conduct a workshop for our teachers/students on your wonderful teatherques.

God Been you.

Yours sincerely.

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May thanks for you letter. Did you neet Professor Weshpade of the audio - Visual Unit Poma Unwenty. He was very keer to see what you have heer doing. Gila Kamaning rang - up and I put her is torles well Government. the person at Vinuel's affice who is handling the file with the dept of Sune and Technology of the State were disappointed with the proveedup of the Science Acadery- Vinest news gas ashe says the delegates fur want a holiday! I am glad you were able to see heel Bugh. I saw it same trullie years ago but Iwould much prefer to see at now When I can recognize same of the trees. two trees is the Botanical garden - cue Ficus hypota and are Ficus Krishnae buth leriely trees - I am very find of the Ficus family. I have had quite a lot of succes in propergative trees here and an new making hed for saplings of all varieties I want to have a lot of the nich carrias and chavisias here. We have ordered two maynotice grudefloras and of they take will be thulled as & Son I have not seen a snyle one in Hyderellud . I have alw got alexandian lawrel - Calophyllum inchhyllum While her anilar alossy lever It is on

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Let us celebrate Uzana & her achievements, for she's this year, the songs of thousands of binds greated her in the green fields & purple mentains of Sonomer where she put up at the place of Many Anne A -, an lay 2 months of Travelling in the remete wilds of Kenga's Kikeyn & Maasai country including a hitchhiking to Lake Victoria, Beth # 3 months in England with the ## wages for Housework Campaign CND & the British coalminers, & a couple of winter moons, with Vet octs of American Indian activists in My MM including the Guntemalan Mayor gunnilla lender Rigoberta Menaha. Ahad of her by Turtle Island - the American Indian name for N. America Illiana planned to offers its doors & enter the Turtle's hourt. The first obstacle came from unexpectally close perture. Many Anna was how hest of contact person, but she was disease (or some such name), which Bes involves a harsh sound going on a in inside your head, sending you up the wall towards things the suicide. It also involves other tenville tendencies. Like an inability to Jour stay long on samething, a vindictiveness & joulousy. I Neither of is could know about this for Many Anne was someone which began convestending with me after vending a piece by in a Toronto may 1'd written her among others hoping to aid Dizma's efforts in our. to encourage Ulzana in her travels - until "Uzana finally Turned up at her duonstip in Source. With access to Vizana's address list of friendships of centrals, my Ma of i had carefully formed over years. Mary Anne started sending off hate-vizana mail to the contracts, raising questions like: Whe's this woman? What does she want here? What are her motives? She hung up midway when any friend phoned to try & help Ulzana & instead she wang of 1/2 and's Elder sis in England with her hete mussage, Much of U/2 and's prouvious sum of money also disappeared during her stay with Many Anne, i y

had was 0'2 and's culting on lunch 1ste. No plant to go, no shelter to find, in an alien, selfish society - whoever she went to meet would wan away from her warned by Many Anne. On one of those days she stood alone at a bus stop, hended towards Somerna An Ethiopian women came to the stand & stood there, staring at her. Then the woman said, How beautiful you are I What foods de you eat, to get such a lovely complexion? (I must tell you specially that her stay with her Big sis all over England had had considerable effects on her health & beauty.) And then The woman asked, "Awe you a spirityou! And she offered her two of the fruit she was carrying. "I took the fruit; Ulzana later wrote, And ; felt within once again that great Power i fener is in me. My sadruss vanjeyously into the cook. Ulzana went to Sun Francisco. She was The Wild Woman Whe World's - the name given her in her Triavels about this time. "All sodden, she wrote a neice, 'it is as if my body has become a fountain of light, penetrating all. restrictions & floring whend with the forme of the Victoria Falls. Countless women + man are of distrut nations are becking to me. "Come, come," they say, or "Stay, stay", or "Let's go, let's go". Their friendship will take me where, even ido not know."

In San Francisco, Many Anne's strychnine was at work. In Son Francisco, Mary Anne's strychnine was at work. Everyone shunned & avoided her. 'I have never avoided difficulties', she constend this time, 'I have welcomed Their challenge & enjoyed them. We are extraording people, 2 must face extraordinary dangers. But what fears Victory shall centimely be owns?

Three the Intention bal House of in Oakland, she mat a beautiful, high spirited young woman, lowing Luisa, who arranged for her to speak on India's women at the New College of California. For 3 hours Ulzana spoke & song, Tracing herstory from the Vedas down thro the peasant

Spenking engagements poured in An interview with her was broadcast by the People's Radio through the USA, s she appeared in TV too. The Old Wives' Bookslove in a flyer welcomed her appearance in the Bay area. And a new group of evensors Indian women called Laborer - The Wave - formed around her in Berkeley. That is how Illeans broke Many Anne's curse With ground meler her feet now, she turned toward to Twitle Island itself - The May to Native America. The American Indian Movement's (AIM)'s global wing, the International Indian Trenty Council (11TC); had an office in San Francisco, but they paid her no mind . AIM's bloody trail of victory & self-sacrefiae them the 1770s had raised the HTC to observer states in the UN, with access to finds & has the time for an unknown Indian woman? So be it. Ulzana went to seek the entrance to the Way to the place where it was the hottest to touch the tense, war - 4 - uninum scarred Dakotah (Sioux) Indian reservations in S. Dakota, where firefights
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but right then - Murch 86 - the widest too. As Uzana landed in Minneapolis, Minnesota after a flight across the Pacific, The snow flakes had begun falling & airways were closing down all flights to S. Dakota where in a car with the Sione - Commande family of her host, Charan Asetoyer, Health Director of Dakota Women of All Red Nations (WARN). Morning found her in a new world dotted with Trees, native cottages of village dogs. - The shower of Lake Andes on The Yankton Sione Rez. The People's land

with the deformed, retarded kids looking half their large, Nature communities for from sovereign, with their defenders, the AIM & WARN warriors, defendent on external funds & duided against them selves. Charon, Comanche woman of the Puple whose last warchief Quench the Engle stared at Ulzanon from all flatter with unseeing visionstruck eyes from old photos on Chanen's soul apartment walls - Chanen was intent only on hew to procure funds & changing as the weather on the question of whether to let Ulzama 100 do work Then they went to a meeting at Porcupine. Strong & astonishing war sistens, were there. They enleashed a storm of writering on Chanon, obserging hose with baccusing her of a dictatorial workstyle, artitrary spending of funds, & a European that towards 3d. World women Devastated by the mass endiques, Charen subscept atty imprevad much in he is ways you hear it? Then Ulzama heard Drome beating. A tip: glowing with light stood among the trees, & the drumbeats came from within. The tent flat blow aside as long haired figures came 4 went. Drums - the Turtle's heart throbbing - comming with the night. She sat with the facple on the blankets inside the tipi, feasting, her name announced in honory. She mixed with the proud of majestic Sione, build a feathered, at their powwood or tribal destinations. thibal festival, showed them. She saw that, throw the blizzand of Europeanisation, the old Ways still seeded & manged like blades of mean grass coming up every spring One night two Indian men took here to the described plain in Vermellism, to the sweat lodge of the medicine to her bosom. And when IIzana undressed & creft into the clarkness of that ling lodge made of white willow wands I sat on the carpet of sage, + mubbed the smoke of med for her, & she was inside the entire universe teening with the spirit of all living things. White stram hissend up from glowing red-hat rocks, scorching her body At burning may all that is impure, tanta-fower culering her porces, the but vibrating

childed with a song to ! Wakan ! anka, the Great Mystery, & the capression of harmony, 'Mitakujenyasi' (All my relations).
It was an hour after midnight when she came out & scrubbed herself dry with sage leaves.

Everyday they prayed Together, or my body praying for her.

She travelled over that Sitting Bull country, writing, of S Daketa. Watchpil, Moon When The Greese Lay Eggs, she naturned to San Francisco & three herself with renhanged energy into woman-crowk, gring talks, appearing with her own women's song group on stage at various places, her recended songs spreading across the land. At Nairobi shid participated in the formation of the budigeness Women's Net-work speurheaded by the N. American bulians; now the 11TC, the International Indian Trenty Council, officially mirted her tribal resourch group to their 11th, global conference in Big Mountain, Avizona. Spring is in the air There are flowers, flowers everywhere, she wrote. My life circle is flowing with a tremenders surge. She sung: "Come deathconquering hope, destroyer of abothy! Bests I way with weeping! Let all bonds evode! There was yet a third door for her to open. It had opened to her, once, on a solitary birdsong noon, in 1982, & she'd seen a vision of a new world, not far away at all, where she could go without human memories following. She anticipated a Sister would low come & lend her there by the hand, a sister she only knew as the Mysterious One, without clothing a inthout desires! She planned to go There soon, while life May was her busiest month, so far. The Power of the walk shall make the Way, she sang. On the night of May 25, go in her sleep, the Mysterious One came & embraced her in Sister wood. There was a sudden jot of surprise, & as they plunged together the Torrent was icy, life's last icemelt - 4 them she was in Onless Ocean, swimming submerged with powerful strokes, & as she emerged into the light & liberation, it was a new world all woman Who Walks struck out on a journey even greater than the ones she'd known. Ulzana was cremated in Sun Francisco in early June, in the

a mighty warnion, Engle Robe, mourned Uzana, fasting 4 suns, singing & offering flesh from her arms in the ancient Way. And when the 4 days had possed, the saes Sundancer emerged with her body light, her arms now f her spirit strong. Once, about '82, i'd asked Ulzama, in a moment of my own quiet despendion: How do you get thru to people? How do you get thru to people? How do you move them? And she'd said, gracefully a firmly,— Be free of of the ilusions, a all doors will open. Last time i saw Ulzana was in the car driving her to the airport en voute to Naivot! Apart from the chanffeur there was only the Two of us in the car. She almost never spoke or turned to me, but gazed straight ahead, acquitine profile firm on the Way ahead: Naivobi, & The women of the world. When she got down at the air port she walked inside unlesitating a creat, without a word of harting as a large of the world. of parting or far well, leaving me at the entrance -i couldn't enter due to special security at that time. After writing alone about an hour; turned back. A 1982 poom by her, transtated for all of you by me. 1 Am Alive -This is my name. The wind instructed me of brought me i feel the Touch of feathers in the pale clouds who spies on we throw the folds in his light the blanket. in a soft whirlwind I quivered & sur Earth in many ways, & when in worder my lips parted i have drawn in deep the smell of rich, red humas. That aroma lingured across many days the drink I have tasted waters of a crystal stream attach i alone have seen. - son of her soft belly child of her directions 27 Moore Avenue Calcutta - 40, INDIA

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March 15th and for Dr. K. Kurt. C. D. E.

-Feb. 7/87. Bombay

Dear Arvival:

Thankyou for your letter, and the interesting pricture. Was that birdy Walking on Wheets? I did enjoy Weisenbaumis article. I've heard being interviewed on T.V. along with World of Harvard. Who is going sight whead with the moronic Computer ages! I feel so stripted when just about every young and middle aged thing is going into Computer Programming or Computer Scienc. Kids tell me its the only area where the job-market is open! In the West - its was industry. Weisenbaum loas saying that all the high- hard jobs are in the weapons industry - he admired his son for dropping out to a lower pay job that was not war-oriented People like me will soon starve at be homeless. not being able to conform to the established society. Pity, that your Xeroxing Comes so faint. would like to Xerox His and I send it to othersbut I doubt if it will come out being so faint! Can't they add more ink to their great machine! Did I fell you that your friend S. Khanna had shored from Powar - would like to meet him some day Must have some earth shattering Seminas with

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- lation of Diver Swapma as well as the

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not been able to go beyond a few pages

owing to frequent interruptions, but I hope

to read the book through during this vacation.

I shall also go through Shori Pathak's

English translation of Diva Swapma

and according to your suggestion, make

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are necessary—Naturally any changes

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I shall be in Poona from May 18 to about May 24. My address in Poona is 90 Shri hday Puthli, 4 A Sateesh to, Prathat Road, Lane 15, Poona 411004. I shall not have access to a telephone where I stay but I shall buy and come over and meet you at the address you have given - if I may. Please drop me a post card addressed of the above address.

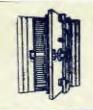
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Dear Arvind Gupta,

I was pleased to receive your letter.

May I fix 27th June (Saturday) for your talk at 9.00 a.m. I will be happy to show you round the school on Friday 26th June. Will you stay with us on 26th? Thank you very much for sending the Marathi translation. I would be interested in the original book in English. It is easier for me to read. We will pay for the same, please send it to me. No, I have not read Divakhapan but I'll certainly do so.

Do send me your bio-data too, so that I can introduce you to our teachers.

Thanking you.

with warm regards

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Mr Arvind Gupta 46 Vidyanagar, 509, Area Air Force, POONA - 411 032

Dear Arvind,

Thanks for the letters and the contributions.

The piece on structures will make a very interesting beginning for the series on engineering problems, concepts, etc. I hope you can send us at least three more instalments within, say, about 15 days. There is a possibility of repetition -- matchstick mecanno, too, goes into structures like triangles, tetrahedrons etc. So please try to avoid such repetition, unless something new -- experiments, for example -- is involved.

About soap bubbles and cranes, I don't think Science Age reproduces book extracts. So I don't think we can use these pieces.

With regards,

Yours sincerely,

(REX D'ROZARIO)

Jean arvaid,

That's The official letter. This is personal. We might just take you up on The offer to spend some time in Pane. The problem is That alether is expecting (July) and so we can't go anywhere, I why don't you come to Bombay sometime? If you do, brung toap hobbles' with you. Or else xeron in cheapty I send or copy to me VPP. I want to read it. I also want to get it translated for Chalemak (can you do it?) Its perfect for that magazine. Here people don't seem to distriguish between content and method, so the stress is more on information giving Man on doing and learning, My love to all at home you arfe fruntie & daughter (what's her name?) What are you doing nowadays? Working? or still free lawing? Is keep in touch. I might just go back to Bhopeal Since Loe had nothing but souble (at my job) Suice coming to be Age. Loss of love.

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J got your letter many days ago
and also the xeroxed copy of the review of hie book 'Totto- Chan! Please forgive me for the delay in answering - I en-- joyed your letter (as usual) and fellvery grateful indeed that I am able to keep up a contact with you-a conbact I greatly value and cherish.

I was very happy to hear about Diwa- swapna, and I hope I shall be able to acquire copies of it. By a most remarkable coincidence, shortly after I got your letter and the review of Toto. Chan', I a friend from his USA sent me his copy of As usual, however I have still not been able to read the book, because pourced on it and began to read it. I am at present reading a book called " City of Joy" about the enormous Shem Anand Nagar in Calcutta. It is rather a depressing book and I would like to read it through quickly and start off on something happier. I wonder if you have read it.

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June 26, 1987

Mr. Arvind Gupta 201-D/6 Yogi Park 12-A Koregaon Park Poona-411001

Dear Arvind,

I'm so sorry not to have responded to your card, or made use of your book before this. Frankly, your books were 'lost'. There was panic when I asked for them, and they couldn't be found. Nothing is ever 'lost' here, though - only put away too safely to find. Yesterday your books were traced to the library. I shall now get down to reading them and look for what we could use in Target, perhaps in our special birthday issue.

The interview with David Horsburgh was very badly edited, I'm afraid, but he was such a fine man and original thinker that his philosophy and practical wisdom does come through. I shall send you a photocopy of the interview shortly.

Sorry for being such a bad correspondent.

Best Wishes,

Yours sincerely,

Rosalind M. Wilson Magazine Editor

Phone: 62717 Off. 53818 Res.

Prof. P. KRISHNA, F. N. A. RECTOR

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RAJGHAT FORT VARANASI - 2 2 1 0 0 1 (U.P.)

June 3 1987

Dear Arvind,

I am sorry for the delay in responding to your letter of 9th May, but I was away on a vacation. Thank you for suggesting the name of Sri R.N.Kapoor to whom I have sent the enclosed letter.

Unfortunately Rajesh Dalal is not joining us. His wife does not wish to leave Rishi Valley. Thank you for sending me your booklet entitled 'Khel Khel Mein' which I found very interesting. I will pass it on to the Headmistress of our Junior School who may find it useful for the children. Please do drop in and see me whenever you can come and visit Varanasi.

We have a Rural Centre at Rajghat with a village Primary School, a small 30-bed hospital, a dairy with 40 jersey cows and an agricultural training centre. For all of these I am looking for a dedicated person who would be interested in devoting himself to working for the neighbouring villages. If you know of anyone who would be suitable, please do suggest.

With best wishes,

Yours sincerely,

(P.Krishna)

Encl: Copy of letter addressed to Sri R.N.Kapoor.

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RAJGHAT EDUCATION CENTRE

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June 3 1987

Dear Mr. Kapoor,

We are interested in installing solar water heaters for producing hot water for our students in winter. We have about 500 students resident on the campus in twelve different buildings. Can you advise me whom I should contact for this purpose in our country and what would be the approximate cost of such a project.

We also have a Rural Centre with an Agricultural School, a small hospital, a village primary school and a dairy. If you think we can usefully utilize solar energy for our Rural Centre, I would be very interested in receiving your advice.

With best regards,

Yours sincerely,

(P.Krishna)

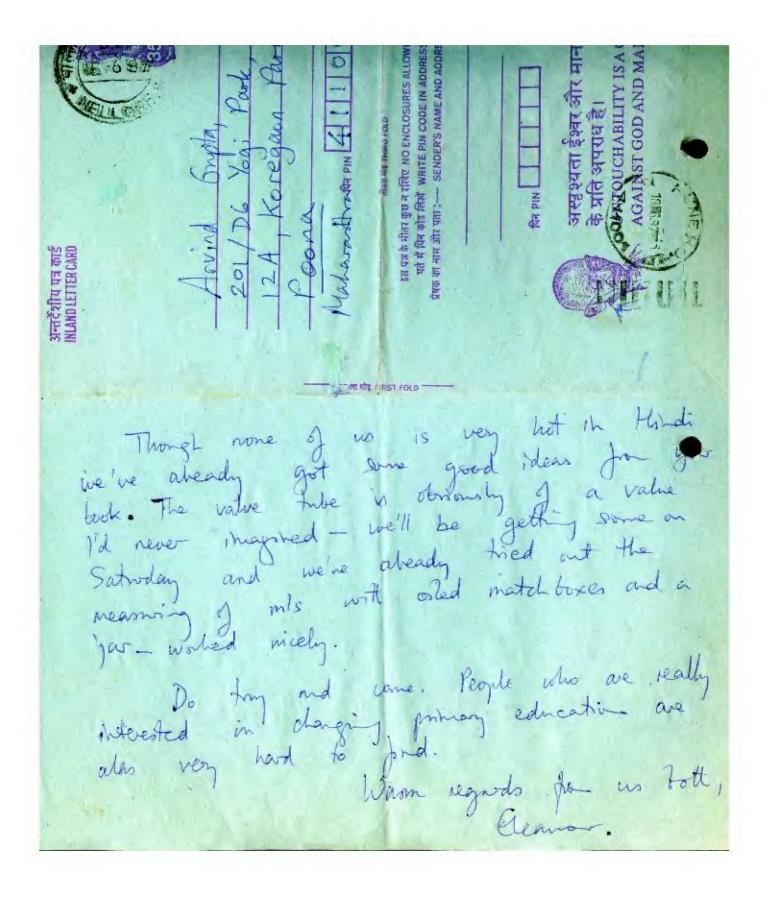
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Mr. Arvind Gupta 201/D6, Yogi Park 12A, Koregaon Park Poona-411001

Sugara School, Palligada, Indulunget Ty Nellone Dut, AP 524314 13th June 187 Dear Arvind, Les L We were delighted to receive your book and letter. I had indeed heard of you and had asked for your address but it could't be found to day I met Shouth and Lah when last in Hyderbad. and see us and work with the clither if you'd like to. I should warm you that we lead a ratter uncomfortable life by copy strudards and don't have sorraits. But I your prepared to brave carrying water, lithing the odd scorpion and being very quiet of any evening, we'd love to have you here for a short or long story. probably know and is now in Telegram medium, though the older children can medium, though the older children can manage methy well in English (I teach through any and the time). Do let the know when you've coming, as I'm occasionally away, and I'll then give you details of how to reach it. द दे 15 ET 2 五至 三季 you details of how to reach the Mage.



Vidyaranya High School For Boys and Girls

Green Gates, Saifabad, HYDERABAD 500 004. A.P.

Phone: 35146

Date June 10.

My dear Arwind; i,

I re-read Divaswapna' translated by Chilaranjan Chatak, and worked on it quite industriously until I was satisfied. I then sent it to the office of Orient Longman to get their opinion. I rang up a little while ago and was immensely Pleased that the editor who went Through it felt that it was very Very worth publishing. She has Told me she will have it retyped and forwarded to the other offices. I think we could now sit back for a while and wait. and I am back in the office. Do Keep me informed aboutyour doings and your whereabouts. i.e. Heave Keep in louch. was pice to meet yours Shanta. you in toona.

yours arrived. I wish I was elightly more healthy and deerful to write a long, full letter to my heart's content. I'm suffering from malaria & the medicine is having lossendous side-ellerts.

horrendous side effects. I'm sorry to hear that you can't make it for the workshop. I couldn't make it to Pure because of the chaos at K.B. This institution seems to be in a permanent state of emergency. We've all been through hell laxely & Anil's personal crisis and instability coupled with his notion that the organization will go to dogs once he quil's, has made some of us extremely unhappy. Besides, my reading is that Anil hates dissent independence and outspokenness. He does have the reputation of being a banyon tree, but now even the harging roots are desperate to uproof the linest sapling that slies up from the empty soil below. I'm writing in fever, anger and arguish. Frankly, I think, Anil will not let the institution continue once le quits. Mis games are revolting yet totally transparent. His overweening anibilion ass. of emorging as a powerful political leader in the Bhopal agilation has been thwarted completely. "Scientific understanding of human beings," he used to say, "can help build up a movement." But all of us know that if one doesn't have the sensitivity to dip beneath the surface, alternative rhetoric doesn't have much of a chance. That this blad-blad about scientific understanding is not only vulgar but insults pity, beauty, pain and life. These window dieseings are nauseating. Failly, icing and life. and nothing below. Irrationality is welcome, but in the gail of rationality, it disgusts violently. What weilates most of all is that the moment you begin to express what you think and feel you come up against a wall. Absolutely impermeable slave greets your words and sileness. Even if you are being asked in

is a questionnaire (sp?) - either you fill it of for Anyway all this won't go into letters however feverish they are. I don't think K.B. will survive. The giant has been tollering for years i his killed the potential of marvelous people. I haven't heard from keishra kumar either - I mean he has weitten but not about the school. I think ever if Amil quits gracefully and stops playing his petty power games, k.B will have to fight his stadow for years. I'm also interested in working with the but can't we think of another place? As far as the mobile proposed is concerned, it will be scaled down considerably. I've also realized that the present scale is insane. But I've lost the will to work, caught up as I have been in k.B. style bickering & crises. It's like falling into a drum of coaltas. I want to run for life and peace. I can't waste my life fighting someone like Anil. In any case, I've some to the conclusion that it is dangerous to work in close propritionly with somebody whose dream has been corrupted. Specious and pernicious logie is the tattered trail behind the sour dream. ligh!! It hurts to write on stuff like this. I'm leaving for Delhi and Chareligarh tomorrow. noil. I've be North will the middle of the Aug. 5 of thereabouts. I don't know when we all can meet - I near kk, Vijn, you & other kindred souls to feel alive once again. I can't live in too much negativity for too long. And this place is made of heart breaking (pseudo - scientific) stuff. heart breaking (previde scient) I remind him of school again.

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Dear Anvind.

How are you? I am so happy that I know you. It is a delight to know people who share, and

you share so beautifully. Long back you had sent to me Totto-clan. 9 Treasured I and to-day since I've finished reading 9 am going to treasure it more than gold. It was a delightful book. so alive so vibrant, truly a chean come True. I am Trying to make my school like that. I faverely hope I'll succeed. Thusly, there is so much to do . and so far to go . I wish my school was small . It is that personal Touch that makes so much of a difference. It, a great achievement to be able to Vouch as many lives positively, as kelayorshi did. And to Mink of it so many people can influence others but how often is It positive? How often is it for one benefit of both? I am glad I know people like you. Reflecting on it makes me happy. When you come to Bombay, do come and trial us. It will be wonderful to have gon with us for a few hours. Looking forward to meeting you

Shirin Chousey.

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February 19, 1988.

Di Natender K. Sehgal Director (NCSTC)

Phone: 65 23 18

DO NO. CO/IN/J03/87.

Dear Shri Arvind Gupta,

I am happy to be able to convey that you have been selected as the winner for the NCSTC's inaugural Jawaharlal Nehru Award for Science Popularisation among Children on a recommendation of a Selection Committee for this award which picked you for the honour out of the nominations received. This award carries a prize of Rs 50,000/-, a bronze medal and a scroll.

The award will be given away on February 28, 1988 (the National Science Day) in New Delhi.

This is also to invite you to please be present on the occasion in New Delhi to receive the award and deliver a talk (of around 15-20 minutes) on a relevant topic of your choice. If possible, please send a transcript of your talk as soon as possible. A copy of the programme proposed for the National Science Day Function in New Delhi is enclosed for your kind information.

I look forward to receiving your confirmation and to seeing you in Delhi.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

(Narender K. Sehgal)19/L

Shri Arv<mark>ind Gupta,</mark> 201-D/6 Yogi Park, 12-A, Koregaon Park, Poona-411001.

dear Arvind, ust begin by saying how very sorry I am to have delayed so long in on 27/10 and marked it for reply on 1/11 1 But all last month I was more overwhelmed than ever (if such a thing can ever be) and I just could not give your project the attention it so thoroughly de-The most I could have done was to send you a bare aknowledg-The knockout blow ment, but even this I did not find the time to do. to my work was given by a cassette recording program to which I agreed to lend my voice, on the supposition that it would take not more than 12 hours or so, and only 2 or 3 days. Instead, it went on and on for days, consuming so many hours of my time that at last I had to say I would do no more; and now I am rid of it and able to turn to mmanyother many other neglected matters. After this explanation and deep apology, let me get down to your letter.

Glad to know the workshop was going so well that you could get home;

yes, it is good to renew touch with one's origins.

Am delighted to know that you will bring out an illustrated booklet on your toys and experiments and working models. Clear drawings will be much better than a lot of words. By now you have probably com-pleted the text and drawings, so that anything I may say about the Tipper Truck modek will now come too late; I am sorry for this, because I do have one or wo criticisms. Well, let me give them for Here in brief are my criticisms:whatever little use they may be.

Let the drawings be numbered in order of the action to be taken. Let the order be: (1) Truck Body, (2) Cutting the driver's cabin with hole for the lever, (3) Cutting the Tipper body, (4) Assembly of all the above (shown in the centre of your page, half enclosed by the curved line), (5) and (6) How the lever works. Problem: how do you prevent the Tipper body from slipping off at the back of the truck ? Somehow you must anchor it to the rear end of the truck body. If the small length of match-stick shown in No. 3 above is intedned for this purpose, I don't think it will be effective. what else is the intended use of the small pieceof match-stick ?

Suggestion: could we copy the Nut-and-bolt technique by a short length of babhul thorn (the thick end of it) and a small lump of babhul gum, perhaps after sphitting the inserted end ?

I don't like your proposed use of 5-paise coins, simply because at present there is such a serious shortage of small coins. self made letters for these word games (which are excellent and highly educative) by cutting out identical pieces of white cardboard and writing the letters on each piece. If white cardboard cannot easily be ing the letters on each piece. had, you can get brown cardboard (tailors always have pieces to spare) and sticking white paper on to it. Bamboo ball-point pens are a wizard idea.

How I wish I could get the time to try out your experiments for myself. That leisure will not come soon, but I hope it will come one day in my lifetime. With this inflation, I have to spend far too much of my

time simply in trying to earn enough for our daily food.

Very glad to know that Sunita is with you; that is after all her proper place. I hope she soon leared how to cycle, without too many spills and bruises. Yes, cycling is a skill that everyone should So is swimming !

Now here is a suggestion which I hope will be found helpful. public psirited friend of mine gives me Rs50 (fifty) every month to be spent on helping poor young persons, or any deserving purpose. I would like to send you the Rs.50 for this present month, to help you a little with the costs of your booklet. You may send me a few copies in return, if you wish; of hterwise just use the money to help finace this most excellent project. How shall I send it to you? By ch By cheque, or MO ? Let me have your ecount No. if you want a cheque. If a MO, I suppose the address

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MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT
DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION
GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
NEW DELHI

May 8, 1990

Dear Shri Anand Sarup,

I am thankful for your letter No.F.CM-3/90/300 dated May 7, 1990, regarding Divasvapna.

I was delighted to see this publication, although had been hearing about its coming for a long long time. Its popularisation has to be among teachers and hence bringing it out in Hindi and other Indian languages has to receive due attention of NBT.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

(Anil Bordia)

Shri Anand Sarup, Chairman, National Book Trust, India, A 5, Green Park, NEW DELHI-110 016

Copy to:

 Professor Krishan Kumar, Central Institute of Education University of Delhi, Delhi.

2. Shri Arvind Gupta, 46, Vidyanagar, 509 Area Air Force, Poona-400 032.

(Anil Bordia)



March 18

Dear Sudarshan,

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

(Central Institute of Education)
University of Delhi,
33, Chhatra Marg,
DELHI-110007

As I started to do the work I think your script needs I discovered that there is far more than I can afford to do. So I decided to write a letter instead, indicating what the problems are. I'm sorry to know that there's very little time left to make any changes. If this is so, much of what I have to say will be pointless, for if you wish to take my advice you'll have to delay the final version by several weeks. Basically I don't feel that you've not yet established contact with your render, and that's the aim you ought to have in your book. On p. 2 of the preface you say that your first audience is 'children'. If that's true your descriptions of nearly all the toys will have to be simpler and printed in bolder type. By simple English I mean a diction with no three-syllable words. And no long sentences. Take the paper/leaf flute for example. Your audience is the child who hasn't made this thing on his own. Most likely this is the kind of child who hasn't been using his hands and fingers at all for making or breaking things. Or else we shouldn't have this simple toy described in the book at all. I feel there's a large population of children in our society who haven't been encouraged to use their hands, eyes, at all to make things. Now that kind of child needs help. He/she won't know what you're talking about if you say: 'Shue the chds of the paper such that the pipe does not open out. Now flatten one end of the pipe, preferably the one with a smaller diameter.' I'm underlining the words that the child, even his teacher, is unlikely to understand, but the overall syntax itself is too complicated. It needs to be straightforward, and each step in the your instructions needs to be written out as a separate sentences, printed as a separate, numbered line in bold print. Now I know this is going to be time consuming process to alter all texts in this direction. I'm afraid the unattractive, mather unsmooth nature of your present texts will seriously detract from your beautiful effort and limit its success. In the flute text you next say that the leaf flute is _'quite similar to the paper flute, both in construction and play//. The quality of sound is different though.' Once again you're assuming that the child knows what you're talkings about. From the child's point of view, folding a peepal leaf into a funnel cannot be the same as folding a paper. Your diagram for the leaf flute is confusing. Where do the folds on the pipe come from if the rolling has been straight all the way through? The initial picture shows that the leaf is being rolled straight down, not slightly sideways.

This is just an example. I feel you need to show this work to an editor or sit down with one yourself or by yourself you can tidy up the English with slow, patient work. You could take out the sentence that comes at the start of many descriptions with tedious repetitiveness, that 'it is a simple/fascinating toy to ma constructed: For your audience, every toy is fascinating, and its simple nature can be appreciated only after it has been successfully made. You've to be careful that you don't pre-empt the challenge of makin the toy carefully/.

As I said to you, I am worried about your preface. It doesn't read smoothly. The are the 'academicians' and 'pedagogues' you're talking about? Why not use your preface to say clearly what kind of toys

these are, whay they are important to talk are be presented this way today, and how you went about collecting these designs? If I don't feel your present oreface will be read at all. The list you make about of the scientific principles on p. 5 that can be learnt from these toys is quite impressive. But how does a reader go about linking this list with individual toys? You've not given any clues in your descriptions what the ans how to find answers to your 'find out' questions (by the way, find 'find'and 'out' are separate words, not combined). I doubt if most children and teachers will be able to make further experiments or investigations to find out what you want them to. Ferhaps you should provide some brief statement of the problems and principles involved in a toy, on the page facing the description, or banking its on the back of it.

Excuse me if I sound harsh. Your brother is coming in 10 minutes, so I couldn't polish my own language!

With regards and best wishes,

Sincerely,

Krishna Kumar



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fly dear Anna)

DE. 25/6/86

It seems such a long tome since we met. I how to get in touch with you on the phone, but you knowber seeins to have changed. To dear fires how one Jon? A cough of days ago 1 was in Khmedabai mitto an old find from I.M. Sumil Handa. Already firmly In the Pharma ecutical sector and parkaging in duty, he now set W working on a school through hit · K Klarya Educational formedation. The selved, being see up 3 4 114 MBH'S after quitting their private tector jobs and struggly exercation round the world, promises to be quite cornething. And me person who would tind it eduting and would have as much to contribute, to you. to I strongly rommendes your association.

लाल बहादुर शास्त्री राष्ट्रीय प्रशासन अकादमी, मसूरी – 248179 Lal Bahadur Shastri National Academy of Administration, Mussoorie - 248179

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June 18. 1996. we've met or written to each other. I hope you and your family are well with you. bur School has re- opened after hie summer holidays — and twere's a lot- of coming and going and seeming confusion. It always happens every year. I'm now 72 happens every year. I'm now 72 and beginning to feel my age and wishing I could nest my leary head! But yish now I'm going alone with his was south I'm going along with the werent. I'm
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Dear Awindji.

Sheuta. 3-5-820 Hyderqueda, Jemeshwar Lo.). since our departure schedule kept changing from minute to minute I couldn't answer your letters. We've finally leaving on July 23 with no stoponer at Delli. There we've nearly moring house we've emperating short journey for the time being. I was in Delli. in the first week of this month but the pollution levels in the edg were so high that I fell ill immediately. I was hoping to finish all my work in Delhi but I monoped to need only knishing termat.

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How is Dulan doing on her two wheelers Did Sadhaa contact you for a reading list for Cheene: He badly needs one. I wish there was some way he could benefit from the rich treasures you have. I'm only hoping his trip to anotralia has enlarged his library & that he's high on the travel.

Nore later - home to Sunita & Dulai, Typi

ARVIND GUPTA

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June 13, 1996

Binaya Krushna Pattanayak Baramunda, Bhubaneswar Orissa, India

Dear Mr. Pattanayak:

Thank you for your kind words for *Jonathan Livingston Seagull*! I'm delighted that you have found him, and that his adventures can be an inspiration to you and your friends.

Please consider this letter to be your permission and authorization to translate the book into the Oriya language, provided:

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If you decide to make the translation, I would be most happy to receive one copy of the book.

Thank you again, and best wishes for your continuing success.

Richard Bach

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Dear Award,
Mabel Dennison! Just that name sent me off on an hour-long trip of soul-stirring nearry. This morning I ammaged this my papers only to fird that I don't have my file marked 'Education' here in Ujain. Now all you've to do is either call Surgit (6854504) & take Mahel's address from him or write to that Associates with a letter for Makel george dennison negal pass it on immediately - that's what they did with my letter to show all the A. Later, that I realized that that was the least embaracing & painless way of getting in touch with where I was told by 4.A. that Dennison had been dead for 2-3 years. The root is history. Our correspondence with Mabel huned out to be a most remaining spiritual experience. All the codes were there in the book (Lives) & & with just 2 words life & love, with all their heat, simplicity and complexity, we wrote to her & she to us. I only hope she's still there. to give you a feeling of the same tenderness, and a feeling of those times in the eticeti of my.

I have a feeling this letter is sure wishing to prolong itself. But before it does, leaves tell you not to translate any of the destry to Haldane stries before checking with no first. Rats has already been published in Hendi - either in wanten or in a rollen magazine ettim metrol - a short lived experiement by M.P. Edu. Dept. No - your translation must have given you great joy! I know exactly - but there's so much to translate & share was I've done 4-5 stories from that collection - my great favoreite. All of mon have been published. If NOT could procure copyrights, that's one book that needs to be seen in Hurdi.

KK told me about near 11 1 21007 - 21009 when I called hum

last night. We were supposed to neet at Baroda - 2 mene suppresed to visit the Narmada Andolan's schools together from there. This morning. I had to cancel my programme at the last yourest due to health reasons. Anibiosis. Frally diagnosed. Very painful bladder 2 the parasite has caused a sharp deep in my Hb. I'm undergoing last night homoeopathic treatment here at lyjain. But a friend warned me, that since this problem has pensisted over a months. I need to cure it quickly before it gets my liver. It all happened because of my month long stay in Delhi (Film Festival & Book Fair). So Delhi is ruled out completely. The end-of-the-world sensation wipes out my soul. Rustan-poor soul is in a real fix. He was supposed to quit Dellie next month & John the Simla Institute (Advanced Studies) as a Fellow. But his father is very ill & with him in Delhi. Rustam can't cope with the strain CSDS 2 all the household chores + sleepless nights with his father, who gets viorse during the night. Allopathy doesn't suit him. Rustam has studied homolopathy & is treating him himself. So he'll have to forego the Sinda Fellowship, which means-forego his own work & work on the Centre's sundry projects which rub him the wrong way intellectually & enotionally. And these long distance relationships - they exhaust you completely. They're teaching iso things about life, we could will did without.

But then there's some joy, too, I have a small centre here for dildren- along the lines of our nightschool egent egent in 4 Dru Neudy. 15 hids. But I don't have any finances, whatsoever. I'm making do with a little help from x00000 — mostly in terms of occasional visits by In mis, who's a great one for puppels, mades, origeni. But with my meanly honorarian here, I find it hard to keep the library going: I think IV request Shiele Caralhu for books.

reformed copies of Father 3+194 of also are for a few people - who'll love it!

And that beings me to another thing that occupies me these day. Did I tell you that I have a regular consequence course with 4 hids being home-schooled! Two of them are in Dharams hala (+1-P-)_ Assu (8) and Coonie (5). To built Their parents aren't mobile - they can't leave the place at all - so I built up their library over the last Bew years. I issit them whenever I can manage to - but now it's turning out to be more difficult. Asen's amozing reading skills keep me gasking for breath. He's become such a passionate reader that I can't keep pass with him anymore. I got the most heart-basedung sas calls from the dilder. I kept thinking of you & of Kasi Kechkar. Not thinking, but decaming. If these kids could somehow meet you spend a few homes with you, it'll be miseasulence, for them. But I can't 20 how I can awange thus meeting & where. But IN CASE - H.P. or Dharamshala ever figures in your itinerary, do loane know. Otherwise I'll have to being them with me to Dellie. But when I visit dellie in May (this time) I'll have to borrow books (for 2-3 hours) from You, get them copied & mail a huge package to them. Their me dildeen's mether is heeping distailed necords of their learning process - very poetic! Renember gnys at Wak? She's strick -Those diaries need to be published, they're so good! I spent the whole of last right play-learing with Assu & Coonic in my dreams. I only hope I find you in Delli in the 2nd week of May. I'll try calling you before I leave here for

Delhi.

Thanks for the leller, Asind. Perhaps you can imagine all the joy & cheer it blought me. I must make it point to see you in Ilhi. But once I hit Dellie, all beauty vanishes & I only keep decening of meeting my friends.

De give my love to Smaila & Dulari.

Hoping to see you soon,
This

Shobha Bhagwat 505 Shaniwar Peth Pune 411030. Tel: 450036.

28.6.1998

Dear Arvind, Roceived your letter and she set of I liked the books. I would like to have ten sets for myself and ten for Balbhavan. You can send the books together I um enclosing two cheques with this letter. I am glad you are translating done the translation but it requires some corrections. Shall I send you that script? Myer an one you' had been published long back in dotal3. It is too good I have written a book for UNICEF The little is "31/0/4/2241 ulmsalz1" It is for primary teachers and describes 20 activities which can be easily done in a school. At present I have started working on a book on 'Rights of a child' Though where inner meaning is never understood. Did you not come to Pune. this summer? This symmes with all other activities our children made cloth bags and wrote messages like andisional. Say no to carrybag, HIBHU alux and, sunset of carrybags for ever, They also sang a song 9 made about this and some parents also took a vow not so use carrybags. The song is like this -

देशका करीका करीका वकी आम्हाल करीका वका. वर्षित्र वापरतात (यापा यापा यात्वा याके) 15193 1743 219111 31116 9441 11 4(11) किया वरेपया करमान अहाल व्या होगाद ? - , (यंद्रेस झाने हैं -) मुमीमाना म्हजते आहे ने पर्य थां खवा है. धाल करंदिक मारी उपाशी रहाल पुर्मी 21610 NXI 061 01 61 देवा दुसी किना 994 ली कुर्गी Then six midel 010 3 mil-करीका। करीका करीका निया निया निर्मा करीका वका. This year also children are busy with agriculture Last year they experienced the whole process. It was a great joy! Should is in Oxford at present. He is doing his Ph.D. in Biodiressity conservation in Forest Ecologg. He wants to do his field work in India for one year. Actually he has been travelling a lot for last five years through almost all states of India. He needs your guidance about whom to apprach for his fieldwork expenses. You may staggest some names in Institutions like Capart where you have good contacts. Dept of science & technology can also help! Please write to to work with Chandraletha in Madras. She is an unusual chereographer. Love to Sunita 1 Dulari. Shobber.

3-5-820 Hyderguda. Hyderahad 500029AP Sept: 26.1997

Dear Arvind.

I was delighted to get hie

Poem on the tree — and even

more delighted to hear from

you after all this long while.

I hope you are well and

wat all is well with you.

I had read the tree poem

before, but that did not

prevent me from & enjoying

it all over again — as if it

was totally new.

This morning I was in our School library and I found a hook I had never seen or heard of helver— Ophelia's Shadow Theatre, by

Michael Ende - a hauntingly beautiful and most sensitive. - hig o willen book. It made me think of many, many Friends I would like to share it with. _ one of hem beings you. Another book I've weread-an to some children is & "The Silver Lword" by Lan Serrallier It's about the in Europe too and what to her in he years immediately after he second world was I thought of you many times as I read the hook, wishing you could translate it Have you read it? I shall he coming to Delhi about the 1st or 2nd of October and

when I come I would like Very much to meet you -with you he in Dethi? I'll stay Ill about the 91n_ most probably at the DDC. What's happened to the Hindi Version of the Black board hook which you were translating? I'll tind out tomorrow , Irom Oh Hyderahad. I hope there has been no hitch. With love to you I family

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Dear Shri Around Guta,

Greetings. I have your p.c. dhi 22-02-01 received today. Since my interests are safe in your hands, I accede to your suggestion to have my CIET-NCERT published books in English Name--losted wite Hinds by your good self and published by EKALAVYA for dishibution at low cost, so long as no commercial perblisher comes forward to take them for marketing. In case a commercial publisher evenius miterest, I will refer thim to you as copyright would continue to rest with me. By the by, the books as printed by CIET have translation to cheek if the errors have been removed, before they are printed

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श्री. अरविंद गुप्ताको लिखे आपके पत्रकी प्रतिलिपी मिली। अपने लिखे लेखपर असी प्रतिकिया पढकर खुशी तो हुओ ही! लेकिन मेरे स्कूलकी यादोंसे आपको अपनी स्कूल अगर याद आगयी तो हम अेक बिरादरीके हैं यह तुरंत महसूस हुआ। और चूँकि यह बिरादरी बहुतही अल्पसंख्यांक है, बडा अच्छा लगा। आपके स्मरणोंकी मैं राह देखूंगा।

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Mr Arvind Gupta C7/167 S D A NEW DEIHI 110 016

July 18, 1994

My dear Arvindji,

I didn't see your post card (April 27) until yesterday. It had arrived perhaps just after I went away from Hyderabad for the summer vacation and was unfortunately not redirected. While it waited for my return it was misplaced and was discovered only yesterday (with some other letters). I am making haste to reply.

I am very happy that you think so highly of Eleanor's <u>Blackboard Book</u>. I do too and I agree that it would be very useful if similar materials are made available in Hindi (and other Indian languages). We in Orient Longman are very keen on publishing educational materials in the regional languages, and in my opinion you would be the ideal person to undertake the task given your wide range of educational skills.

There are however, a number of Issues that arise in the context of regional language primary education and especially in relation to Hindi. I am sure you have addressed yourself to these and have definite opinions on the subject of Hindi (as medium first language mother tongue / second / third language) and about primary level language instruction within that policy framework. Given the complex ities it is essential to evolve (if you have not already done so) methodologies of literacy acquisition. In English language teaching the alphabetical order method has, at least in progressive theory, been found less efficient than whole word / whole sentence / communicative, interactive and structural approaches. As part of the A.P. Primary Education project, categories of Telugu letters based on shape similarities are being set into a communicative and interactive context as a technique. How would this work for the Nagri script? (Refer Blackboard Book p.3, 4 & 5). The suggested language work level sections in Topic Based Work would also have to be worked out within such a framework / methodology / philosophy as also language structure (p. 69-73).

One of the instructions missing in the pre-literacy chapter p.58 Early Writing Practice is the need to connect sound and letter while using the blackboard. The book is wonderful for grammar. The problem of first / second / third language would arise especially in the context of the chapters on Mathematics, Geography, History and Science.

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One way to resolve the problem may be to think in terms of separate books or may be even a set of 4 smaller books (unless the effort is to promote integrated teaching which it must be at the primary level). You may be interested in developing a set yourself. I am sure you and the Hindi editor Ms Sugandhi Kapoor in our office in Delhi (Orient longman ltd., 1/24 Asaf Ali Road, New Delhi 110024, Tel: 734957) would be in the best position to discuss this. Orient longman publishes in Hindi from Delhi and also from Fatna (where you may already be in touch with the Bihar Education Project for Primary Schools. I am passing on a copy of this letter to my husband, J. Rameshwar Rao, and I am sure he will also put you in touch with the right persons.

I really hope that you will be able to develop ideas and techniques for effective blackboard use in Hindi. Please pardon this long letter which probably only reveals my ignorance but I am excited about your project (and others) and have discussed it at length with my daughter Buchamma who is here in Hyderabad and who is deeply interested in finding valid methods of extending teaching methodologies and developing (rather than translating materials into the regional language). She too felt strongly that I must seek your help and ask you to share your thoughts and methods in relation to Hindi language teaching — All in all we are very enthusiastic about your offer and hope that it will bring about not one but many ideas and books. Perhaps you have seen our Amaltas Reader Series.

I look forward to hearing from you and re-establishing contact with you.

With regards

Yours sincerely

Shanta Rameshwar Rao

cc: Mr Arvind Gupta Flot 51, Survey 34/1 Vidyanagar 509 Area Air Force Fune 411 032

Thank La



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19th November, 1986.

My dear Arund,

30 0. No. 3/41/86 Ash STP

Thank you for your letter dated 8th November, 1986 informing me that you have given my name as a referee for your application for the Indira Gandhi Memorial Award for Science Popularization instituted by INSA. It would indeed be a pleasure for me to write about you to INSA as and when they refer the matter to me. I am also happy to see that you are being involved in a number of national programmes of various agencies. Kindly do keep me informed as and when you find time and when you think something interesting has happened. I still remember the days when we had gone for an outing during our short visit to Pachmarhi during the All India State Council Workshop. Our stay at Pachmarhi has brought me very close to your programme and your activities. I would like to wish you will the best in your endeavour.

I would also like to thank you for sending me publications on Prof. D.D. Kosambi.

With kind regards.

Yours sincerely,

Polardane

Dr. Arvind Gupta, 201/D6, Yogi Park, 12 A Koregaon Park. POONA - 411 001.

Anil Bordia Additional Secretary

Ministry of Human Resource
Development
(Deptt. of Education)
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21 November 1986

Dear Arvind,

Please forgive me for the delay in replying to your letters dated 23.7.86 and 18.8.86. I did receive a copy of Kosambi's Science, Society and Peace and also your fascinating little book length.

I have been a Bhak ta of Kosambi; but I had not read this book. I was, therefore, delighted to receive it. I would like to receive two more copies of this book and also the statement about the amount I have to pay for all the three Modes Copies.

to examine the possibility of having sufficient copies printed for circulation among all Hindi speaking teachers who will be trained during the next summer vacation. Do you have any suggestions to get it translated into other languages of the country? It would be very good if we could do that. Any suggestions of other titles which we can use as training material during the summer vacation training?

You will recall that I had had a talk with you regarding SANDHAN. The Articles of Association of SANDHAN are attached. We are now intending to participate in a large programme being taken, by Government of Rajasthan for training of village youth, men as well as women, to work as Shiksha Karmis, who will replace the formal teachers. I will soon send you some more material on this subject. We will need your association with this project in a substantial manner.

With warm regards,

Yours sincerely,

(Anil Bordia)

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KERALA SASTRA SAHITYA PARISHAD

8th Dec. 1986

Dear Aravind Gupta,

I was transferred to Calicut and joined here about 7 months back. Please use my new address for future correspondence. I was in receipt of your letter regarding the reprint of J.D. Bernal's Book. I had forwarded your letter to Mr. R. Radhakrishnan, who is in charge of KSSP Library in Trivandrum for necessary action.

I had seen your UGC TV Programme. It was good. A few more such programmes should be done.

We have already utilized your teaching methodology and produced a number of Kerala Guptas in KSSP !

Please keep in touch

With regards,

Sincerely yours,

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DR.B. EKBAL

To

Mr. Aravind Gupta, 201-D/6, Yogi Park, 12-A, Koregaon Park Poona-411 001.



ગિજુભાઇ જન્મશતાળ્દી સમિતિ નૂતન ખાલ શિક્ષણ સંધ, ગુજરાત.

કાર્યાલય:-શ્રી દક્ષિણામૂર્તિ વિદ્યાર્થી ભવન, ગિજુભાઈ બધેકા માર્ગ, ભાવનગર-૩૬૪૦૦૨.

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Dear Mr. Gupta,

Thank you for your letter of the 3rd inst.

Relevant year for calculating the copy right period is 1939 and not 1928. Gijubhai died In 1939. So the copy right holds good up to 1989.

I have got some of Gljubhails "Stories for children" translated into English. We are considering publishing them. But our resources are very limited. I shall be thankful to you if you please suggest some publishers who might be interested in undertaking publication thereof.

By The way, I mever suggested that you had some financial interest in promoting Eijubhails teller. Literature. I am sorry if my letter has given you this impression.

with regards

Mr. Arvina Gupta Pune - 411 001 Payhon Leigh

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